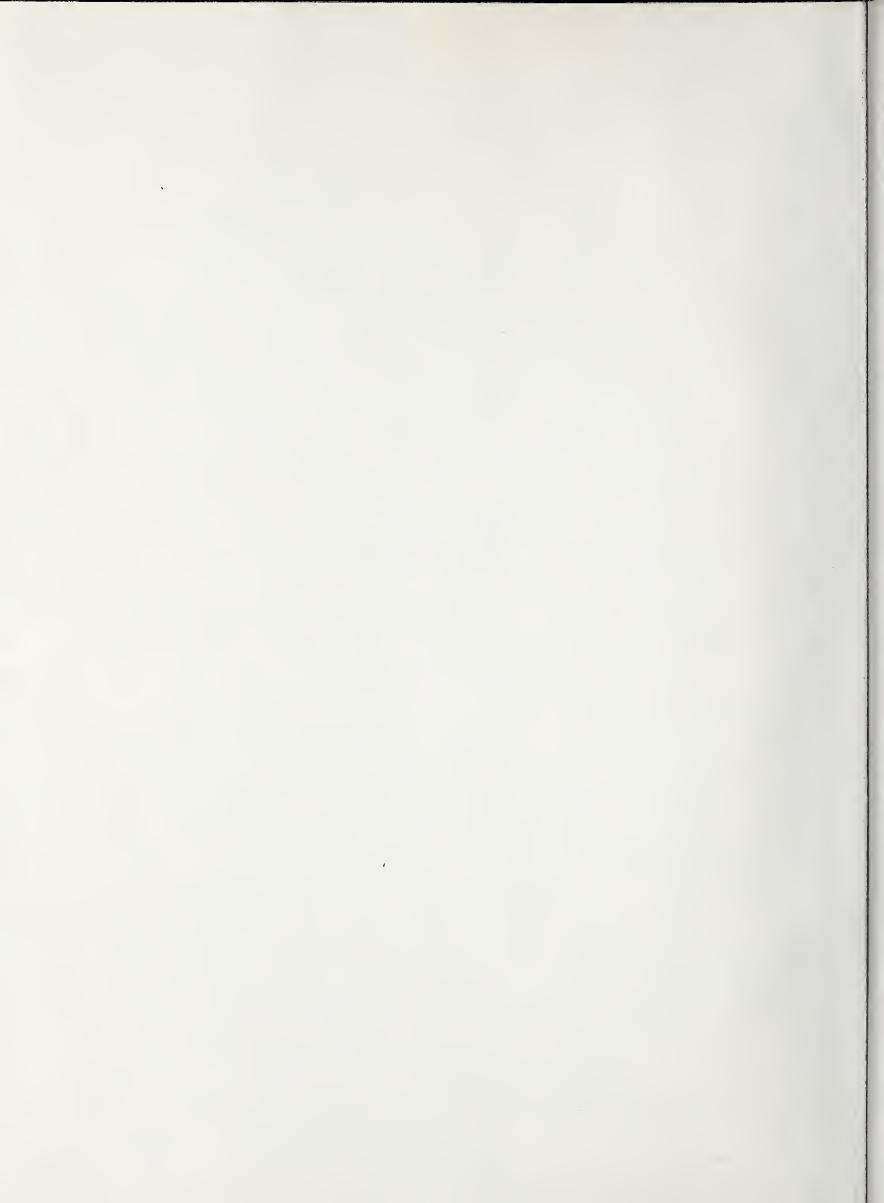


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In Memoriam

I dedicate this to the loving memory of my parents, Henry C. Buttery and Mississippi Ann Bedford Buttery, who were always interested and willing to help any member of the Buttery clan. L. L. Buttery

I wish to thank all the members of the clan who have helped me to accumulate the data that has made it possible for me to give you these facts. I particularly wish to thank for their efforts Mrs. Austin Long of Llano, Texas, Mrs. Walter Decker of Llano, Texas, Mrs. M. S. Nicholson of Austin, Texas, Mrs. Diane Black of Long Beach, California, and Albert R. Buttery of San Angelo, Texas.

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THE BUTTERYS OF TEXAS

The stories I am about to tell are, as I remember them, as told to me in my boyhood. Therefore, I will not vouch for their accuracy as your memory often plays tricks with you, but in the essential facts they are true. In my childhood, Father usually went to church on Sunday night and we children remained home with Mother. It was on those Sunday nights that we would beg Mother to tell us Indian stories of frontier days and their happenings, and we would ply her with questions about early life in Llano county and the activities of our forefathers.

Our grandfather Buttery was born at Tunnel End in Yorkshire, England, grew into manhood, and was educated at Oxford University as a civil engineer. He prospered, married, and started rearing a family. When he was near middle age, he ran into financial difficulties and decided that his chance of recuperating his fortune was slim. In line of the thinking of that day, he decided to emigrate. Grandfather and one brother came to Texas, one brother went to Pennsylvania; two went to Australia.

Grandfather had a chance to work his way over on a cargo ship, so he made arrangements for his family to come over on another sailing ship. Grandmother's ship was delayed in sailing and it came by way of Spain and Cuba, then to Galveston, Texas. The trip consumed about four months and during the voyage my father's (H. E. Buttery's) twin brother died and was buried at sea. Due to the delay of the ship. Grandmother expected Grandfather to be waiting for her when they arrived at Calveston, but when her ship docked, no one was there to meet her. Grandfather's ship had come by way of New Orleans, and was several weeks late in getting to Galveston. Grandfather started looking for Grandmother and while passing a restaurant, he recognized Grandmother by her paisley shawl.

Only a few short years had passed since Taxas had gained its independence and Austin had been selected as the site for the Capitol. So, Grandfather moved his family from Galveston to Austin in an ox wagon. He bought a small farm on the Colorado River about the present site of Lake Austin, built a log cabin, and set about to making a living for his family. During his stay in Austin, Grandfather was joined by his brother and family. Cattle raising was the chief occupation in Texas at that time, so Grandfather decided to enter the cattle business. He sold his holdings and moved to Honey Creek in Llano county in order to secure free range for his herd. Here his family grew, some to be nearly grown, when the Civil War blazed into action. Just a year or two before the war started, Grandfather

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Grandfather moved to Llano, and built a cabin on the north side of Llano near a creek, which is named Buttery Hollow.

At the outbreak of the Civil War, Henry C. Buttery I and his brother-in-law, Miles Barler, joined a company of Llano and Mason county men. This company was mustered into the Confederate Army. Miles Barler had married Aunt Jane Buttery just a few years before the outbreak of the war, and his going to the army made a readjustment in the life of the Buttery family a necessity. When the war was over, Father and his brother-in-law, Miles Barler returned to Llano, and shortly afterward Father married Mississippi Ann Bedford. The Bedfords had come to North America about the time of the Revolutionary War, had settled in New York for a few years, had moved to Virginia for a generation, then to North Carolina, then Tennessee, and finally to the delta of the Mississippi to settle close to Natchez. Mother's Uncle George Bedford was sent East, and educated in medicine, as an economic measure in caring for the family slaves on the plantation, but Uncle George did not enjoy this work with the Negroes. He told his older brother that he preferred to work with horses because horses smelled better than Negroes. Therefore, he persuaded a maiden sister, Nellie Bedford, to move to Texas with him to raise racing horses. was a custom of Southern gentlemen to raise thoroughbred horses for the yearly races. Hence, the Bedfords spent quite a bit of time and money producing good racing stock.

In the 1840's, Dr. George Bedford and his sister, Nellie Bedford, went to Llano, bought a small tract of land on Flag Creek, built a log home, and started raising fine horses. Uncle George was the only doctor for miles around, and it proved impossible for him to quit the practice of medicine, as people plainly demanded his services. Often he would be gone for as much as a week at a time as he did his practicing on horse-back. The compensations for his services were usually paid in produce of the ranches.

In the year of 1851, James F. Bedford decided to bring his family on a visit to his brother and sister at Llano. On the way he contracted a cold, developed pneumonia, and died at Bastrop, Texas. His family went to the Reliegh Mountain to see some cousins, the Rilay who lived in the lower part of Llano county. A few weeks after Grandfather Bedford's death, Grandmother died from peritonitis following the birth of a daughter, Mississippi Ann Bedford. Grandmother was buried in Honey Creek vicinity. This left a large group of orphan children, and Aunt Nellie took Mother and her sister, Ellen, to raise. To compensate Aunt Nellie for rearing Mother, the older Bedford brothers in Mississippi sent slaves, Phil and wife, to be Mother's personal slaves.



One summer when Mother was about five, her brother Jay came to visit them. Mother had a pet pig, which had grown into a big, fat shoat. Uncle Jay conceived the idea that the hog would make a good pony for Mother to ride; he rigged up a saddle and bridle and put Mother aboard. The hog became incensed at the treatment and ran off with Mother through a prickle pear patch. This episode ended with Uncle Jay getting a whipping, Mother having the pear briars pulled out of her, the pig in the smoke house as sausage. In telling the story, Mother still seemed to regret the loss of her pet pig.

Each year as the horses became two years old, the most promising ones were chosen and Uncle George and Aunt Nellie would take them back to the plantation in Mississippi. The home on Flag Creek was a two-room log cabin with a lean-to on the back. So, Mother would tell us stories of the fine homes of the family on the Mississippi Delta, of the Negroes' cabins and nightly singing of the slaves, of the tall cotton, and of the gay life of the big plantation.

Then came the holocaust of the Civil War. Life became very difficult, food other than meat became very scarce, and clother became almost impossible to secure. Uncle Jay was too young for the army so he came to live with the Llano family. Aunt Nellie had a spinning wheel, but no loom, so she kept expressing a desire for a loom and made rough sketches as she remembered those they had used on the plantation in her childhood. Uncle Jay studied the sketches and decided he could build a loom. He cut down a wild cherry tree, sawed it into lumber with a hand saw, and, under Aunt Nellie's supervision, built the loom. This provided a way for people around Llano to have cotton produced at home, spun into thread on their own spinning wheels, and made into cloth.

After the war was over, the loom occupied too much room in the home, so Mother prevailed on Father to have it converted into a clothes press to hold the family bed clothing. During its construction, a neighbor stopped Franklin on the way to town and inquired as to what Father was having made. According to Mrs. Haynie's indignant report to Mother, Franklin's reply to the question was, "Well, now Mrs. Haynie, you see Father has so much money that he is having a box built to hold it." Afterwards, Mrs. Haynie was very careful in quizzing Franklin about our family business.

With the end of the Civil War, Aunt Nellie called Mother's slaves and told them that they were free. When it was explained to them what freedom meant, they wanted to know if they could

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take Miss Ann, my mother, with them. Aunt Nellie told them, "No, Miss Ann does not belong to you; you did belong to Miss Ann, but now you are free."

Old Phil promptly answered, "If Miss Ann-ain't gwine, I ain't gwine either." So Phil spent the remainder of his life in my father's home, except for the last few days of his life. He made a trip to Austin, and on the return trip on a freight wagon, he fell off and was crushed to death.

When Mother was about eighteen, she married Father and they went to Honey Creek to live. Here Father built two log cabins. One was for Mother and himself and one for Mother's Negroes. So often in pioneer days, the Indians would wait for white people to come to the creek or river for water, and when they were bent over to fill their bucket, the Indians would murder and scalp them. This fact worried my father so he went up the side of the mountain to a spring, cleaned it out, and brought the water down the hill to his back door. Thus, Mother was the first woman in Llano county to have running water. Franklin was born while they were living at Honey Creek.

After living at Honey Creek for two years, it became necessary for Father and Mother to move to Llano. Uncle George had moved a bunch of fine horses back East and when the time for his return came, he did not show up. What happened to him is still unknown, but we presume he met foul play and was murdered either for his money or his horses. Nothing was ever heard of him or the cowboys that were with him. This made it necessary for Aunt Nellie to have company. Father enlarged the house and Mother cook care of Aunt Nellie the remainder of her life.

During the time that Father and Mother lived on Honey Creek, Father's former captain in the Confederate Army, came to him for refuge from the Federal forces that were persecuting Confederate officers. Father hid him in a cave and when no one was around, he ate with the family. To while away his time, Father gave him a saw, chisel, and hammer, and from trees he cut down he made furniture for Father's home.

During the Civil War, Father's company was captured in the Vicksburg Campaign, was sent to New Orleans, and was a captive till the end of the war. After their release, Father came back to Llano. Father ranched and ran the hardware store. Uncle George ranched and farmed the rest of his life. Uncle Heslop lived on a farm next to Uncle George, Aunt Margaret married Mr. Seth Bailey, and Aunt Eliza married Mr. Moore and moved to the state of Oregon.

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MILES BARLER

This is the story of Miles Barler as related by my mother and Uncle Miles himself. L. L. Buttery

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Miles Barler was a man of few words, but of strong convictions. He was a hard worker, scrupulously honest, an active citizen, an expert marksman, a strong prohibitionist, a devout Christiam, a true friend, and a feared enemy. He was a man that his friends could count on in a pinch, and he was always willing to let everyone know where he stood on any question that pertained to his community, state, or nation.

One day in the 1850's, a wagon train stopped near the Barler farm in Illinois and camped for the night. Miles Barler, a teenaged boy, drifted down from the farm to see the wagon train and visit with the home-steaders. It was here that he heard the glowing accounts of wonderful Texas. They told of the wonderful opportunities of free land, and of the wild game and fish to be had for the taking, in Texas.

The next morning when the wagon train moved out, he was with it. He had simply gone home, secured his rifle, and left home without telling his family where he was going. He was off for a lark that consumed a lifetime. The leader of the colonists was a Mr. John Oatman. After a long trip they reached what is now Llano, Texas, and here began the process of making a living. Here Miles Barler grew into young manhood and married Jane Buttery. In his memoirs, Barler tells of sitting on his father-in-law's front porch in north Llano and killing deer for the family table.

In 1860 the Civil War broke in all its fury, and Miles Barler joined a volunteer infantry company that was being organized in Llano county. At the battle of Vicksburg, Barler was captured by the Federal army, but he was hard to hold. The Federal forces placed Barler with other captives on a boat to be taken to St. Louis to prison. The steam boat was a wood-burner, and ever so often it stopped to take on wood to fuel the boilers. Watching the procedure, Barler began trading off his Confederate uniform, one piece at a time, for odds and ends of clothing. In this manner, he acquired the nendescript clothing used by the wood carriers. Finally the time came, and he went ashore with the wood carriers. As it was late in the evening, he simply melted into the wood and his leaving was not discovered till roll call the next morning, and by that time the steamer was miles up the river.

As he worked his way south the next day, he came to the Union lines, and, in Indian fashion, he approached their lines. He had come to the realization that a gun was a necessity if he

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wished to survive. He observed from a distance a Negro soldier walking his post, and that he passed a large tree as he walked to and fro. Barler secured a good club and slipped through the underbrush to the big tree he had observed. As the Negro soldier passed the tree, Barler knocked him in the head, took his gun, ammunition, and knife, and faded back into the forest. Here his knowledge of woodcraft came into good use. He was able to secure wild food, keep from being re-captured, and travel south till he could enter the Confederate lines and eventually his own regiment.

However, the course of the war was going more and more against the Confederacy and it befell Barler's lot to be again captured by the Union Army. In the latter part of the war, New Orleans had fallen to the Union Army, and it was concentrating the captured Confederate soldiers there.

In the campaigns around the Mississippi, Barler had contracted malaria, and he realized that if he were confined to a prison, he would probably never see Llano again. He decided escape was his only hope, so at dusk he went overboard just on the outside of the paddle wheels on the back of the boat. He was lucky in catching a piece of driftwood, and after swimming and drifting, he finally reached shore. He said he was so exhausted that all he could do was to pull himself up on the bank and go to sleep. He realized that, in his condition, he was worthless as a soldier, and so he returned by easy stages to Llano and home to recuperate.

He stayed around home for a few months, regaining some of his strength, but public pressure made him realize that he must do something in helping the fortune of the Confederacy. Realizing that his health would not permit him to do the work of a line soldier, he joined a guerilla band that was harassing the Federal lines in Texas.

Soon after joining the guerilla band, the war was over, and along with other men, he returned home to rebuild the devastated country. After their return, three factors came to plague the people. The first was the coming of the carpet baggers. came to Ilano with a calvary troop and took over the county government. Soon the men who had been in the Confederate Army called a secret meeting and organized the Ku Klux Klan. After deliberating on the invasion of the carpet baggers, they decided to show no signs of resistence to the transfer of authority from the elected officers to the carpet baggers in control. A few nights after the troops left, the KKK had a meeting and had their agents to pick up the carpet baggers and their belongings. The scene was then changed to over the Dead Man's Hole on the Colorado River. The carpet baggers were tried and convicted of stealing county funds, which they had spent. Not being duly elected officers of the county, they were convicted, promptly hung and, with their belongings, dumped into Dead Man's Hole, which had no known bottom.



A short time after this, the troops returned and inquired about the carpet baggers; the only information available was that they had taken their belongings and left the county. This episode was repeated three times, and then Llano county was left to its own resources.

But quiet was not to be the lot of Llano county. Commanche and Apache Indians began to raid the county, stealing horses and killing the settlers. Along about this time, Miles Barler bought himself a fine horse of Arabian stock. He was very proud of the animal, so he rode down to Honey Creek to show the horse to Father and Mother. He arrived at the cove late in the evening, and after exhibiting the horse, he fed and watered him, and with a trace chain, staked the horse to a pecan tree near the house, fearing that Indians might steal the horse during the night. The next morning, Barler found that the Indians had tried to steal the horse but, unable to cut the chain, they had cut the throat of the horse. Barler was infuriated. He wanted Henry Buttery to go with him, trail the Indians, and kill them if they could. Henry Buttery would not do, as this was a cedar brake county and the Indians had the advantage both in number and woodcraft. But Barler would not be placated. He borrowed a horse, saddled him, and took after the Indians. He was gone all day and returned at dusk with the trappings of two Indians that he had killed. This incident occurred a short time before the Moss Brothers' Indian fight on Pack Saddle Mountain.

A few months later, the Buttery brothers and their cowooys were gathering cattle on Honey Creek. Miles Barler had come down from Llano to cut out his branded cattle from the herd that they were gathering. One day during this round-up, they had a brush with a bunch of Commanche Indians but did not suffer any loss; however, they did kill one Indian. That evening Miles Barler approached the group of cattlemen, wanted them to stay with the dead Indian, and wait till the other Indians tried to retrieve the body. The group refused to do this, as it was too dangerous, just for the chance that they might be able to shoot some more Indians. However, Barler stayed out all night and came in at breakfast time very much peeved that he did not get a single shot. Over a period of years, Barler was in several Indian fights, and he had collected a bunch of trophies. As a boy, I would go to see the collection and admire it.

During the Civil War, the few men left in the county could not work and brand all the cattle. Hence, when the men returned from war, the country was full of unbranded cattle. It was a scramble in which every man was for himself in getting those cattle branded. The branding of the mavericks brought another period to the people of the hill country. Desperadoes came to brand and steal cattle, as it was an easy place to hide and carry on their nefarious work.

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Three times the desperate men killed the elected sheriff of Llano county, and at a public law and order meeting, the citizenry of Llano county elected Miles Barler as sheriff to bring back peace to their community. Each time Barler selected as his deputies men named Roundtree and Beason. Each time they came back with their man draped across their saddles as they had elected to shoot it out. I remember hearing Mr. Barler relate one of these fights. He had been elected sheriff at a mass meeting in the early afternoon. Shortly after, he and his deputies left Illano to trail the outlaw that had killed the sheriff. A few hours later, they overtook him on the road to Mason. The badman saw them coming and stopped and waited till he recognized them. The outlaw dismounted and shot at them with his Winchester. Barler and his deputies returned the fire, shooting once each. When they came to the man and examined him, they found he had been hit between the eyes, in the neck, and in the heart region. Each time Barler resigned as sheriff as soon as the emergency was over. He did not like to be a peace officer, but he felt it was his duty to act when the peace of the community was threatened.

Always standing up for the right in his community brought Barler many enemies, and his life was threatened many times. He usually wore two Colt 45's and a skinning knife. One day the Llano River was on a big rise and belp was needed to rescue some people who had become marooned. Barler, along with other men of the town answered the call, but Barler, in his hurry, forgot to put on his revolvers. Barler was a small man of about a hundred and twentyfive pounds, and during the emergency, one of his enemies observed that he did not have his pistols. The big man decided that when the people were safe, it would be the time to give Barler a whale of a beating. The big man walked up and knocked Barler down with the first blow, but Barler was like a cat. He was on his feet in a moment and pushed at the man, drawing his hunting knife. As luck would have it, the scabbard to the knife came out with the knife, and when Barler struck, the knife pierced the bottom of the scabbard and only cut the man a small cut. That was sufficient for the big man, and he quit the fight as fast as his feet would take him. Later in life he became a good friend of Barler.

Miles Barler had been threatened so many times that each morning he would have one of his sons to reconnoiter the surroundings before he went out of the house. One morning, Lee Barler reported to his father that about twenty men were lying in ambush for him below the bank of the Llano River. Realizing the odds against him, he sent one of his boys to town for aid, knowing that his friends, Stoutimeyer, Beason, and Roundtree, along with many others, would come to his rescue. As soon as sufficient aid arrived, Barler and his friends executed a flanking movement, flushed the desperadoes from cover, and engaged them in a running fight through the town of Llano.

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Henry C. Buttery (I) said that on the morning of this fight, he arrived at the store about seven o'clock and he found his partner, John Barler, sitting down behind kegs of nails, out of sight, loading his Winchester. Just as he arrived, Mr. Stoutimeyer came in with an empty saddle gun that was hot, grabbed up a new loaded Winchester, and rushed out to the fray. The fight was soon over, the desperadoes leaving town on the run and leaving their dead behind. The townspeople suffered a few wounded.

Barler's enemies through some political maneuvers gained control of the grand jury and indicted him. Their plan was to get Barler's guns out of his possession and then kill him while he was on trial. The plan leaked out, so the day of the trial, Barler put his objections to surrendering his guns to the judge with the argument that he was not going to be a clay pigeon for anyone. About the time the argument grew hot, two of Barler's friends, who were crack shots, took their position in the door of the courtroom. The judge finally agreed to let Barler keep his guns. When the trial was well under way, a member of the opposition climbed a tree outside of the courtroom, fired at Barler, but missed. Before he could shoot again, Barler shot him out of the tree, and he was dead when he hit the ground. The jury returned a verdict of "Not guilty" in the case against Barler.

Like the era of the marauding Indians, the era of the outlaw passed in Llano county and a peaceful time came to bless the people. Barler had been successful in his business ventures, so in his later years he retired from active business other than renting houses and loaning money.

With the price on his head because of his stand for law and order, he kept up his target practice every day of his life. In the summer he would lie on his cot behind his house and shoot at the wasps as they flew to their nests on the eaves of the second story of his house. In the wintertime, he would light a candle, sit on the cedar post of the garden gate, and see how near he could shoot out the flame, without completely extinguishing the flame.

One day after he had retired, he was reading an advertisement of the Barler Ideal Heater. Something made him feel that the manufacturer of this heater was a member of his own family, so he wrote a letter to the concern for information. In a few days he had a letter from his older brother. The letter informed him that his parents were long past dead and the family had given up hearing from their lost brother. Miles Barler immediately made a trip to Chicago to see his people and spent a month with them. He discovered that his brother was the colonel of the Federal regiment to whom his company had surrendered. He came back to Llano with stories of his trip. While in Chicago, he bought and brought back home an Edison phonograph and a large collection of records. This was the first phonograph in Llano county, and he spent most of his time going over the country, giving phonograph concerts, and talking prohibition.

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During the time, Barler enjoyed life very much, but the death of his beloved wife seemed to take the joy out of his life. On December 16, 1907, he quietly passed out of this life about sundown with the assurance that he had lived a good life and was ready to meet his master whom he had so diligently served.

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In 1916, I wrote a letter to the postmaster of Whitby, Yorkshire, England, and asked him to pass the letter that I had written to anyone in his town by the name of Buttery. The following is a copy of the letter that I received from a cousin in Whitby. L. L. Buttery

"18 John Street
Whitby, Yorkshire, England
6/9/16

Dear Sir:

Or should I call you cousin? Your letter to the postmaster of Whitby was forwarded to me, who am the only "Buttery" in the district and I drifted here twelve years ago, after being in other parts of the country.

From what I can gather -- your grandfather, John Buttery, and his brother William Buttery emigrated to the U.S.A. leaving their brother and my grandfather, Thomas Buttery, in England.

A sister of these three men, Hannah, married a Robinson and a daughter of this couple -- who, of course, is herself an old lady -- has given me the following facts. This lady's name, who knows the whole history, is Mrs. Captain Foster, Boulmer, Crescent Avenue, Whitby.

I call to see her last night and she told me that your grandfather, John Buttery, married his cousin, Betsy Heslop. They began their married life at the Tunnel Inn, as that is now the village of Grosmont, six miles from here. Falling on evil days, John went to America and afterwards sent for his family, one daughter, Mary, died in Liverpool. She arrived with her children, John, Jane, Margaret, Thomas, Henry; and I daresay that you are the descendant from one of these. The last letter the above Mrs. Foster had was about thirty years ago from Jane Buttery from Llano, Texas.

Now, if this is correct, we are related and I must give you a bit of our family history.

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As I said before, your grandfather left his brother and my grandfather, Thomas, who left two sons and two daughters, namely:

1st -- Thomas, dead, leaving one son and three daughters

2nd -- Margaret, dead, no children

3rd -- Mary, still living, two daughters, married to William Johnson, living at Iburnadale Heights, three miles from here.

4th -- William, dead, my father, who will be a cousin of your father, William left:

1st -- Mary, married, two children

2nd -- Elizabeth, married, seven children

3rd -- John, married, four children

4th -- Henry, married, three children

5th -- Andrew, married, three children

6th -- Jane, married, two children

7th -- William (myself) not married and forty-one years of age. I am a school-master here, head of St. Michael's Boys' School.

Have I told you anything whereby our families are connected?

Sincerely yours,

William Buttery"

After receiving this letter from our cousin, William Buttery of Whitby, England, I answered it and received another letter from him and one from Captain Foster.

L. L. Buttery

"18 John Street Whitby, England 10/29/16

Dear Cousin:

I passed my letter on to Captain Foster whose wife is a first cousin to your father and my father. I have been to Captain Foster and read the account he has given you. To me, having Mrs. Foster to talk to, it is as clear as daylight. I hope it proves to be so to you, although not possessing my advantage. Any "gossipy" news will not be of interest to you; therefore, with my thanks to Captain and Mrs. Foster, I close, trusting the budget gives you all the

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information you require. You just gave us your initials. What is your full Christian name?

Sincerely yours, William Buttery"

"Boulmer, Crescent Avenue Whitby

October 20, 1916

Mr. Buttery

Dear Sir:

William Buttery has passed your letter on to me and my wife has done her best. I wish she could have seen to write; you might have got more details, but my writing days are done. I am bordering on 80, left eye gone, and my sight is very dim. My wife is bordering on 62; although previously a good writer, she cannot see to write her name. Hoping you will be able to gather something from this. I remain, dear sir,

Yours respectfully,

R. Foster for Margaret Foster

Answering your questions in William Buttery's letter:

First: There is no family tree of the Butterys and we do not know where to get one as there are no Butterys in this neighborhood, but your family and my wife are the only ones that can supply any information whatsoever.

Second: All your forebearers have been farmers or connected with the land.

Third: Your great-great-grandfather was a Congregationalist; all the other elders were Church of England. We have no record of greatgrandfather Heslop. John Heslop, an excise man, retired on his pension in his latter years. His mother was Mary Buttery, sister to our great-grandfather.

Fourth: You get your Scotch descent from Margaret Pattison, your great-grandmother. We only understand that Margaret Pattison's father built Spittle Bridge in Whitby, but there are no Pattisons here. She and her two brothers were left orphans. The brothers went to sea and we never knew anything about them.

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Fifth: Colonel Buttery was no relation of ours so far as we know. (Note: Colonel Buttery was very prominent in the allied command in 1916 and was killed in France).

Sixth: Germany has been preparing for war for years and the Kaiser's object is clear.

Seventh: Our great-great-grandfather, Thomas Buttery, married a Miss Donkin, and lived and owned a small farm about 20 or 25 acres called Cliff House, situated at Ibumdale, a half mail from Slights and three miles from here. He left the farm to his son, Thomas, (our great-grandfather), who married Mary Spence. This Thomas Buttery left Cliff House and the farm to his children. And now it is owned by John Johnson, a farmer who married Mary Buttery, having bought it from the trustee of her father, Thomas Buttery. It had been in three Thomas Butterys' hands. William Buttery, schoolmaster, is the grandson of the Thomas Buttery III and a nephew of Mary Johnson, the present owner of Cliff House.

Thomas Buttery III, your great-grandfather and Miss Pattison (Scotch) died and left issue four sons and three daughters.

First: Son James went to Australia, died, left no issue.

Second: Son Thomas married Mary Spence, died, left two sons and two daughters, to wit: Margaret, died and left no issue. Thomas died and left three daughters and two sons. This family lives about Gainsbrough in Cleveland, 30 miles north of Whitby. William died leaving five sons and three daughters. William Buttery, schoolmaster, is his son. Daughter Mary left two daughters.

Third: Son John, your grandfather, went to Austin, Texas, about 65 years ago. He married his cousin, Betsy Heslop. They took with them children, to wit: John, Jane, Margaret, William, and Henry. Mary died of fever at Liverpool before sailing.

Fourth: Son William married Ann Hodgson. They went to Austin at the same time as your grandfather. They took children John, Margaret, Mary, and Ann. You perhaps know about them; we know nothing.

Pirst: Daughter Mary married Jonathan Bud, died, no issue.

Second: Daughter Ann Buttery married John Harewood, a farmer. She died 40 years ago. She leaves three sons and three daughters, namely: Johnson, William, John, Mary, Alice, and Ann. Johnson died and left one daughter. William died and left no issue. John immigrated to America about 40 years ago and lived about twelve miles from Chicago. He married some woman in America. He bought land about twelve miles from Chicago. Mary Harewood married David Jennings and emigrated to America somewhere about Chicago. She

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died about 50 years ago and left two sons, which we expect are yet in America. Jennings and John Harewood would be your father's cousins. Alice Harewood Edmund Hale died and left one son.

Third: Daughter Hannah Buttery, sister of your grandfather and daughter of Thomas Buttery II, married John Robinson, farmer. She died in 1882 at Slights, leaving one son and one daughter. Son, John Robinson, farmer living at Grosmont. Daughter, Margaret, married Richard Foster, a Master Mariner (my wife). We have one son and he has three children.

My wife wishes to make one comment. That is that the family always knew your grandfather took his fall in business very badly, but no one lost anything by him, only his relations. His break in business was due to many causes. He lived at the Tunnel Inn, rented land, and made other speculations that did not turn out satisfactorily. Tunnel Inn is now Grosmont, six miles from Whitby."

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This information was supplied by Albert R. Buttery, 19 North Irene Street, San Angelo, Texas. L. L. Buttery

"My grandfather was William Buttery. As far as I know his family lived about seven miles northeast of Austin, on a farm. My mother lived on an adjoining farm, and they grew up knowing each other for years. The Buttery children were my father, William Patterson Buttery; his brother, Thomas Buttery -- later a general contractor; Julia Buttery, who later married a Mr. McClure and lived in Big Springs, Texas, until her death there in 1947. The other sister I don't know the name of. At last knowledge, she still lived on the old Buttery homestead near Waller, Texas.

My father, William Patterson Buttery, was born near Austin in 1863, growing up on the Duttery farm there. He naturally became a farmer, and engaged in this activity there -- until he emigrated to Miles, Texas. He married my mother, Minnie Moore, in 1894. She was one of eleven children of Albert Eugene Moore, a Confederate War veteran. Mr. Mcore farmed near Austin, and later lived in town until his death in 1926; he was buried in Austin. My father and mother moved to Miles, Texas, in 1897. They farmed several miles east of Miles. Later they moved into town, where he engaged in a meat market and land office business. My father died in Miles on July 2, 1914, and was buried in Miles Cemetery. My mother and family moved to San Angelo, January 1, 1919. She engaged in various occupations to make a living -sewing, keeping lodgers, and real estate. She died in San Angelo on April 13, 1954, and was buried beside my father and his mother, Mrs. William Buttery.

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The five children of William Patterson Buttery were as follows:

Edna Buttery, born in 1898, died in San Angelo on March 30, 1946, and was buried in Big Lake Cemetery beside her only child, Henrietta, who died August, 1929, at the age of one year. She was injured in a car wreck. Edna was a bookkeeper and married W. H. Schooler, a Magnolia Petroleum Company wholesale agent. After the death of her child, she worked for her husband as bookkeeper. Her death was due to burns from explosion of the butane system in her home, which burned completely.

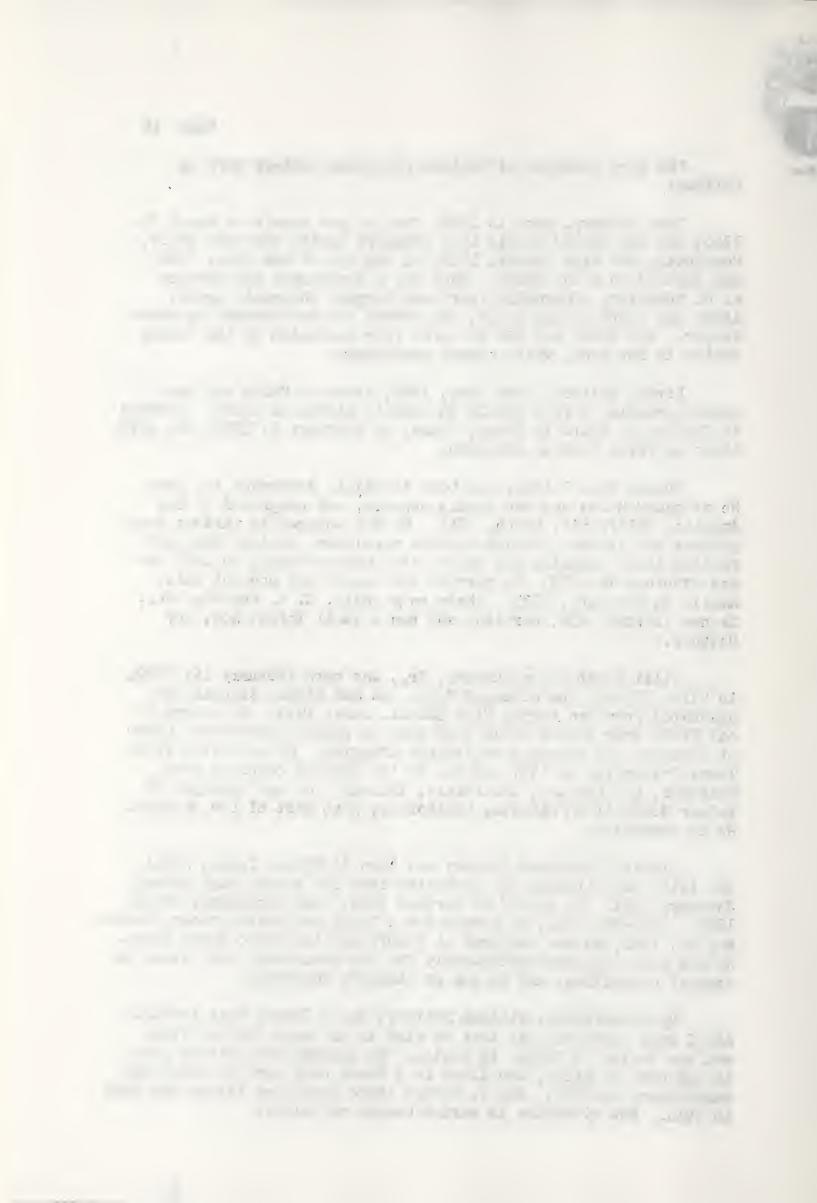
Birdie Buttery, born June, 1902, attended Miles and San Angelo schools, worked mostly in women's stores as clerk. Married to Charles E. Baird in Tyler, Texas, on February 1, 1934; she still lives in Tyler with no children.

Eugene Earl Buttery was born in Miles, September 10, 1905. He attended Miles and San Angelo schools, and emigrated to Los Angeles, California, March, 1924. He has engaged in various occupations and is now a sewing machine repairman, selling them and renting them. Married his first wife, Maxine Mason, in 1928 and was divorced in 1933. He married his second and present wife, Amelia in February, 1935. Their only child, E. E. Buttery, Jr., is now 22 years old, married, and has a small infant son, Roy Buttery.

William Patterson Buttery, Jr., was born February 15, 1909, in Miles, Texas. He attended Miles and San Angelo schools and graduated from San Angelo High School, July, 1925. He worked in oil field drug stores until 1929 when he passed Texas State Board of Pharmacy and became a registered druggist. He graduated from Texas University in 1937 and was in the medical corps at Fort McArthur, Los Angeles, California, 1941-45. He was employed at Kaiser Hospital in Ontario, California, just east of Los Angeles. He is unmarried.

Albert Richardson Duttery was born in Miles, Texas, April 26, 1912, and attended and graduated from San Angelo High School, January, 1931. He worked at various jobs, none permanent, until 1937. 1937-May 1941, he worked for a local wholesale grocery house. May 16, 1941, he was employed at Goodfellow Air Force Base, Texas. He has been employed continuously for the government ever since in several capacities, and is now an aircraft mechanic.

My grandfather, William Buttery, was a farmer near Austin. All I know about him was that he died in or about 1908 or 1910, and was buried, I think, in Austin. My grandmother Buttery came to our home in Miles, and lived in a house near ours up until her death there in 1918. She is buried there beside my father who died in 1914. Now my mother is buried beside my father.





My father had one brother, Tom Buttery; he became a general contractor, and built many structures in Texas. One here in San Angelo was the old Santa Fe Passenger Depot. Tom was married the second time to Carrie Williams of Austin. As far as I know she still lives there if she is alive. Tom died in 1910 in Austin.

My father had two sisters, Lou and Julia Buttery. I never did know much about my Aunt Lou. She married, I know, but I never did know her married name. She lived on the old Buttery estate near Waller and Hempstead.

Julia later married a man named McClure and lived in Big Springs until her death about 1947. My aunt Julia had several children by Mr. McClure -- Ethel, Mabel, Walter (a girl), Pearl, Elmer, and Bernie.

Ethel married Leck Sears, an engineer who worked in power plants. He was here in the San Angelo power plant at the time you said you were here in 1919. They have been living in Fort Worth for about 35 years, where he works in the Fort Worth Light and Power Company.

Mabel married a Big Springs man named Stewart. They had only one child named Edna Laverne. She must have been named for my sister, Edna, although she did not have the name Laverne. Mr. and Mrs. Stewart were divorced about 1946. He was the Sinclair dealer in Big Springs. Mabel now lives in San Angelo.

Walter married Lyle Curry and lived in Ballinger for many years. They have a four-section ranch ten miles northwest of Ballinger. They had one child, Lyle Curry, Jr., who now lives in Fort Worth and is in the used furniture business.

Elmer was a Texas Ranger for many years, about 1910-1922. I only saw him one time when I was a child. He came to our house one time about 1922. He died about 1980.

Bernie still lives in Big Springs. I never did know much about him.

Pearl married and still lives in Big Springs. Her husband was sheriff of Howard county several years ago.

Well, that is about all of the story of the West Texas Butterys. I hope this enlightens you about our clan, and I have given you all I know about all the Butterys on my side. My family and I are the only ones of our family here in San Angelo now, besides A. J., and I don't see him very often any more. If my mother was still alive I could give you much more, but I can't remember all she used to tell me."

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FAMILY OF ALEXANDER SPOTSWOOD:

Alexander Spotswood (Gov. of Va., 1710-1728)

Annie Butler (Daughter of Richard Bryan of Westminister)

Marriage 1724

Issue:

John Robert (Killed in French and Indian War) Ann Catherine (Our line) Dorothea

FAMILY OF BENARD MOORE:

Benard Moore (Chelsa King William Co., Virginia)
Ann Catherine Spotswood
Marriage 1756

Issue:

Augustine, Thomas, Benard, Elizabeth, Ann Butler, John (Our Line), Lucy.

FAMILY OF JOHN MOORE:

John Moore
Ann Danbridge (These were first cousins)

Issue:

Catherine, Dorothea, Eliza, Robert, Benard, Nathaniel, John Spotswood (Our line)

FAMILY OF JOHN SPOTSWOOD MOORE:

John Spotswood Moore Mary Virginia Murry

Issue:

Lucy Ann Moore, born September 27, 1820; died November 18, 1856 (Our line)

Julia Virginia Moore, born September 22, 1822; died June 10, 1861

Sarah E. Moore, born November 1, 1824
Mississippi Moore, born 1828;
died August 24, 1902

John Spotswood Moore, born March 14, 1826

FAMILY OF JAMES BEDFORD:

James Bedford, born 1776; died 1853 Martha Gore

Issue:

Jonas, Nellie, Jane, James Franklin (Our line), Thomas Seth, George, Massa.

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FAMILY OF JAMES F. BEDFORD:

James F. Bedford

Lucy Ann Moore, died March 20, 1851 Marriage August 18, 1836

Issue:

Thomas J. Bedford, born July 20, 1837
George W. Bedford, born November 1, 1839
Julia V. Bedford, born November 22, 1841
Eleanor Jane Bedford, born January 20, 1844
Jonas Bedford, born February 23, 1846
Massy Sarah Bedford, born November 1, 1848
Mississippi Ann Bedford, born March 18, 1851.

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NORTH CAROLINA and TENNESSEE BEDFORDS By

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The writer is a descendant of the Virginia Bedfords who lived many years ago in Glouchester, Goochland Cumberland, Charlotte and other adjoining Virginia Counties. Have been engaged for about a quarter of a century in collecting data for a Family History of this Bedford Family. In my ramifications I have come across what appears to be an entirely separate and distinct Bedford Family. Traces of this family have been found in North Carolina, Tennessee, Missouri, and in Texas. The similarity of names and of traditions convinces me that the persons named herein are all of the same family, that is have a common origin, and as indicated above are not related at all, or if so not closely related to the Bedfords of Virginia.

These paragraphs are prepared from data collected from intensive correspondence with members of the families named. Some of the facts stated are based on tradition and may or may not prove authentic. This record is not intended to be a final draft and is subject to amendment and correction, as definite facts are brought to light. Any reader is cautioned to accept the statements herein contained with this preliminary explanation. This is prepared solely as an initial step to promote, if possible, a search by the members of this family, which will eventually show the true relationships.

Much of the tradition must be disregarded as plainly incorrect. A california lady wrote me as follows:
"Thomas Allin Bedford (mentioned herein) always said that the first arrivals in this country were two brothers Jubilee and Seth Bedford." Now if this refers to the Jubilee M. Bedford and Seth Bedford, mentioned herein, the statement manifestly is incorrect and confusing, for these men lived in Tennessee, and were no doubt sons of a prior emigrant from the old Country. However, the fact, may be true that these men were brothers.

Jonas D. Bedford of Kingsland, Texas, wrote me that his grand-father, James Bedford, was from Missouri, originally from Tennessee. Without intending in the least to be critical of my informants, let me remark that this statement is substantially correct, no doubt, but prior to going to Tennessee he undoubtedly was from North Carolina.

I say, therefore, that I have sorted over the material I have, and feel reasonably sure that the most plausible account of these families can be found in the following paragraphs.

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A Texas Correspondent writes me as follows:

"The first Bedford I know of was of the peerage of England according to tradition. His son was an officer in the English Navy and was stationed in New York before the Revolutionary war. After the war was over he returned to America, married a New York girl and moved to North Carolina and had a large family."

Again without assuming the role of a critic, let me say that this story about the connection of the American Bedfords with the perage of England, is, I feel sure, based on known fact. I state this for the reason that among my own Bedford I find the identical tradition and have, to my own satisfaction, at least, exploded the tradition. One statement will, I think, show the error. The Duke of Bedford, in England was a title and not a family name. The family name of the man who carried the title was "Russell". I have on my shelves a history of this family and there is nothing in it to indicate that any man named Bedford was an English peer. So much for that.

My Texas correspondent also advised me that his great grandfather, JAMES BEDFORD, at the age of 14 left the home of his parents in North Carolina and went to Tennessee never to communicate with his parents. In Tennessee it is said that he reared two large families, being twice married. When Tennessee became settled he decided to move to Texas. It was while on the way to Texas with the family, that his son, James Franklin Bedford, died. went on to Texas and died and was buried at Paris, Texas. writer visited his grave in Paris. This same correspondent gave the following as the names of his children: Jonas, Nellie, Jane, James Franklin, Thomas, Seth, George and Massie. Assuming this list to be correct, and I think it is substantially so, it would seem to account for all the Bedfords mentioned in the following paragraphs, with the possible exception of Jubilee M. Bedford, who could have been a child of this same James Bedford, by a different marriage. My Texas correspondent also says that this James Bedford was born in 1776 and died 1853. Assuming this man was a son of the naval officer above, his birth date is incorrect.

Records gathered from the archives of Obion County, Tennessee seem to verify, in part at least, the theory that all these Bedfords here mentioned were descendants of James. These records show numerous references to Seth Bedford, Jonas Bedford, James Bedford, J. M. Bedford (probably Jubilee M.), H. H. Bedford, and A. M. Bedford (probably Alfred M.). Obion County is not far distant from the place at which the Missouri Bedfords lived. Jonas Bedford owned thousands of acres of land in Obion County. Seth Bedford was first chairman of its County Court. J. M. Bedford was a trustee of the county in 1836 and was Revenue Commissioner 1829-31. Assuming then that Jubilee M. Bedford, was as above indicated a son of

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JAMES BEDFORD, who left North Carolina as a boy, it follows, that the following were a part at least of the family:

Jubilee M. Bedford B. 1799 married Elizabeth Hale.

Seth Bedford, B. 1795 married Polly Ray.

Jonas Bedford

Nellie Bedford B. in Tennessee in 1812 never married.

Jane Bedford

James Franklin Bedford married Lucy Ann Moore.

Thomas Bedford

George Bedford

Massa Bedford.

And there were probably others.

JUBILEE M. BEDFORD (probably son of James who lived in Tennessee, later in Missouri and died in Texas) was born, so records in his family disclose in North Carolina. His wife was Elizabeth Hale. He is said to have been born in 1799. He was living in Jackson County, Tennessee in 1823 when his son, H. H. Bedford was born. I think it reasonably certain that he is the same J. M. Bedford who served as Revenue Commissioner of Obion County 1839-1831 and Trustee for Obion County in 1836. Whether he died in Tennessee or went to Missouri, I know not. His family appears to have consisted of 4 children:

Alfred M. Bedford b. 3/17, 1820.

Seth L. Bedford b. 2/19, 1822.

Henry Hale Bedford, b. Jackson Co. Tenn., 11/27, 1823.

John H. Bedford, b. 10/12, 1834.

Among the known grandchildren of Jubilee M. Bedford, I list Mrs. Clay A. Moseley of Bloomfield, Missouri; Mrs. Ada Hequenbury of Charleston, Missouri.

M. Bedford, and probably son of James Bedford, above) seems most certainly to have been the man who served as one of the first Justices of Obion County, Tennessee, when it was created. His descendants have preserved his family record. He was born 1-6-1795 and died December ____, 1846. Since some, at least, of his children were born in Obion County, Tennessee, I think I am safe in concluding that he is related to all the families here mentioned. His wife was Polly Ray, born July 12, 1795. His marriage was in 1816.

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Among the descendants of this man (Seth Bedford) I note:

Thomas Allin Bedford b. 1842, living at Potts Camp, Miss. in 1927.

Thomas Allin Keen, of Potts Camp, Mississippi.

Mrs. William Caruthers, Ontarion, California.

Mrs. Sarah Eleanor Buchanan, 3931 Elm Street, Dallas, Texas.

Dr. W. A. Maupin, of Rawlett, Texas.

JONAS BEDFORD (Probably son of James Bedford, above) was certainly a resident of Obion County, Tenn., for many years. I am inclined to think that he is the ancestor of that family of Bedfords now found in Memphis and at Moscow, Tenn. From his grandchildren (That is from the grandchildren of a Jonas Bedford, presumed to be this man) living in Tennessee, I learn that he has at least one son, John Bedford, who because of his service in the Civil War was known as Captain John Bedford. It seems reasonably certain that Captain John lived in Obion County, but he died at Moscow, Tennessee. The children of Captain John Bedford were: James, Alex, Jeff, Ann, who never married, and John. I have a list of the children of John (son of John) as follows:

Margaret Frances King, of Memphis; Edmund, Jonas of Memphis;
Robert Alex of Moscow; John Ella Mason of Moscow;
James Anna, Priscilla Jane Baldwin of Moscow;
Bettie Smith of Oakville; Mattie Burdison of Moscow;
Emma Bedford of Moscow and
Hugh Calhoun Bedford of Bay Mynette, Alabama.

JAMES FRANKLIN BEDFORD (son of James Bedford, above) left Tennessee and came to Missouri. It appears that, with his father and perhaps the families of both of them, they started to Texas. He was married 8/18/1836 to Lucy Ann Moore, who died 3/20/1851. They had seven children, as follows:

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Thomas Jefferson Bedford, b. 7/25/1837

George W. Bedford, b. 11/1/1839,
m. Lillian Gertrude Jennings

Julia Bedford, b. 11/22/1841

Eleanor Jane Bedford, b. 1/25/1844

Jonas D. Bedford, b. 2/23/1846
m. Julia A. Duncan

Szrah (Massie Sarah) Bedford, b. 11/1/1848

Mississippi Ann Bedford, b. 2/18/1851
m. Henry C. Buttery

Of the descendants of James Franklin Bedford, I note: Jonas D. Bedford, living at Kingsland, Texas in 1925. Mabel Bedford Craig, Fayetteville, Arkansas. Mr. S. L. Bedford, Paris, Texas. Dr. L. Buttery, Cuero, Texas.

Bedford (probably a son of James Bedford, above). Have not yet determined the name of this ancestor, but have been furnished with the following children:

Jonas Monroe Bedford, who died at Eastland, Texas.

George Pool Bedford.

Lawson Bedford.

James Madison Bedford.

Martha Bedford,

m. Killian.

Elizabeth Bedford,

m. Quillen.

Of the grandchildren, I note:

Wm. Charles Bedford of Desdemonia, Texas
John S. Bedford, of Fresno, California
Mrs. Susan Steele of Eastland, Texas
Mrs. John Walker of Gallant, Alabama
Joe M. Bedford of Los Angeles, California
William H. Bedford (b. 1847) living in 1914 at
5530 East Side Avenue, Dallas, Texas.

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NOTE: Connected no doubt with the foregoing Bedfords, are some Bedfords who lived during the Civil War period in Rutherford Co. Forth, Carolina. I have in my file a will of Jonas Bedford, dated 3/31/1859, probated November, 1869 in that county, which names Margaret as his wife. Evidently he had no children, as he left his property to his wife for her life and then to his nephew, Jonas Bedford. This will also makes mention of Dr. V. J. Palmer, nephew. This last named may have been a nephew on the wife's side.

As noted several times above, this data should not be accepted as setting out established facts, especially with reference to the true family relationships. In other respects I feel that the data is reasonably authentic. Anyone seeing this short account of this Bedford Family, who can supplement it, or point out any inaccuracies would confer upon the undersigned a personal favor, and would I feel sure, oblige many of the persons named herein who have so kindly assisted me in trying to get the true account of this family.

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Family of John Buttery

- I. John Buttery
- I. Elizabeth Heslop Buttery

Issue:

- 2 Jane Buttery -- See Barler family
- 2 Margaret Buttery -- See Barler family
- 2 Henry Buttery
- 2 Heslop Buttery
- 2 George Buttery
- 2 Ann Eliza Buttery -- See Moore family; 10 other children died in early years.
- 2 Henry C. Buttery I
- 2 Mississippi Ann Buttery (wife of Henry C. Buttery I)

Issue:

- 3 John Franklin Buttery
- 3 Bessie Caroline Harris Buttery -wife of John F. Buttery

Issue:

- 4 Mary Nash Buttery Phillips
- 4 Wendal Lee Phillips

Issue:

- 5 Wendal Lee Phillips, Jr.
- 3 Ethel Alexander Buttery (second wife of John Franklin Buttery)
- 3 Violet Edna Buttery -- b. February 7, 1872; d. March 5, 1872
- 3 Bessie Buttery
- 3 Nellie Buttery
- 3 Annie Buttery
- 3 Frank W. Alexander (husband of Annie Buttery)

Issue:

- 4 Francis -- Died as infant
- 4 Vivian -- Died as infant
- 4 Estelle -- Died as infant
- 4 Lucille Alexander Boltz
- H Emil A. Boltz -- husband of Lucille Alexander Boltz

No issue

3 Ruth Buttery

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3 Henry C. Buttery Jr.

3 Bessie Atkins Buttery -- wife of Henry C. Buttery Jr.

Issue:

- 4 Henry C. Buttery III
- 4 Norma Lee Wasserman Buttery -- wife of Henry C. Buttery III

Issue:

- 5 Brenda Ann Buttery
- 5 Jean Buttery
- 5 William Henry Buttery
- 3 Lucy Buttery -- wife of William H . Lindsey
- 3 William H. Lindsey

No issue

- 3 Albert James Buttery
- 3 Dorothy Hoss Buttery -- wife of Albert James Buttery

Issue:

- h Albert Gordon -- Deceased
- 4 Edwin Boynton Buttery
- 4 Mary Elizabeth Glannen Buttery -- wife of Edwin B. Buttery

Issue:

- 5 Edwin Boynton Buttery, Jr.
- 4 James McAnulty Buttery
- 4 Edna Walpole Buttery -- wife of James M. Buttery Issue:
 - 5 Dorothy Blizabeth Buttery
 - 5 James Warren Buttery
- 4 Lewis Merriman Buttery
- ly Virginia Nell Kerzee -- wife of Lewis M. Buttery Issue:
 - 5 Virginia Alice Buttery
 - 5 David Nelson Buttery
- 4 Dorothy Alice Buttery
- 4 Robert Franklin Buttery
- 4 Nancy Jean Powers -- wife of Robert F. Buttery

Issue:

5 Douglas Gordon Buttery

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- 3 Lester LeRoy Buttery
- Eliza Dawe Buttery

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- 3 Viva Buttery Andreas
 3 Homer L. Andreas -husband of Viva Buttery Andreas Issue:

- 4 Ann Address Bacot
- 4 David Taylor Bacot
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- 5 David Taylor Bacot, Jr.
- 5 Lucy Ann Bacot

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I JOHN BUTTERY

John Buttery was born at Cliff House, the ancestral home, near Whitby, England, and grew to be a man, being educated at Oxford in civil engineering. His father was Thomas Buttery and his mother, Mary Pattison Buttery. After finishing college, he married his cousin, Elizabeth Heslop. To this union were born mixteen children; ten died in childhood, but the following lived to be grown: Jane, Margaret, Henry, Heslop, George, and Ann Eliza. Due to bad economic conditions in England, he emigrated to America in 1845, coming to Austin, Texas, by way of Galveston. Wishing to engage in the cattle business, he moved to Llano county to secure free range, and spent the rest of his life in and about Llano. He was a lifetime member of the Church of England. He died on August 17, 1881, and was buried in the Llano Cemetery.

I ELIZABETH HESLOP BUTTERY

Elizabeth Heslop Buttery, wife of John Buttery, was born at Whitby, England, on December 12, 1814. She was educated in common school and married John Buttery. She was the mother of sixteen children, six of whom she raised to adulthood. She came to America with her family by way of Galveston, Texas. She was a life-long member of the Church of England. She died at the home of her son, Henry C. Buttery I, on July 9, 1891, and was buried in the Llano Cemetery.

2 JANE BUTTERY

Jane Buttery was born at Whitby, England, on May 21, 1838, and died on October 5, 1905, in Llano, Texas. She married Miles Barler. See Barler family.

2 MARGARET BUTTERY

Margaret Buttery was born July 8, 1839, at Whitby, England. She died April 21, 1912, in Llano, Texas. She married Seth Bailey. See Bailey family.

2 HENRY C. BUTTERY I

Henry C. Buttery I was born at Whitby, England, May 25, 1844, son of John and Elizabeth Heslop Buttery. He came to America with his parents when he was four or five years old. He spent most of his youth on Honey Creek in Llano county. He was about seventeen when he enlisted in the Confederate Army and served four years. His company was a part of the Confederate Army west of the Mississippi River. His company was used in delaying action at Vicksburg and he was captured and sent to the

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Federal prison at New Orleans for the remainder of the war. After the fall of the Confederacy, he returned to Llano county and engaged in the cattle and hardware business the remainder of his life. On March 1, 1869, he married Mississippi Ann Bedford. To this union were born eleven children; namely, John Franklin, Violet, Bessie, Nellie, Annie, Ruth, Henry C., Jr., Lucy, Albert James, Lester LeRoy, and Viva. Henry C. Buttery was a devout member of the Christian Church. On November 3, 1911, he died of pneumonia and was buried in the Llano Cemetery.

2 MISSISSIPPI ANN BEDFORD BUTTERY

Mississippi Ann Bedford Buttery was born at Austin, Texas, on March 18, 1851, daughter of James F. and Lucy Ann Moore Bedford. She was left an orphan in infancy and was reared by her Aunt Nellie Bedford and Uncle Dr. George Bedford at Llano, Texas. She married Henry C. Buttery on March 4, 1869, and to this union were born eleven children. One child died in infancy, but she reared ten to adulthood. She spent most of her life in Llano county and was a devout member of the Christian Church. She died in Houston, Texas and was buried in the Llano Cemetery.

2 HESLOP BUTTERY

Heslop Buttery was born on December 13, 1051, and died on January 1, 1910. He married Mattie and had no children. See family of Heslop Buttery.

2 GEORGE BUTTERY

George Buttery was born September 17, 1854, and died October 13, 1911. He married Mattie. See George Buttery family.

2 ANN ELIZA BUTTERY

Ann Eliza Buttery was born at Llano on August 21, 1857, and is deceased. She married Claudius W. Moore. See family of Claudius W. Moore.

3 JOHN FRANKLIN BUTTERY

John Franklin Buttery, son of Henry C. and Mississippi Ann Bedford Buttery, was born at Honey Creek Cove, Llano County, Texas on March 5, 1870. He spent his entire life in Llano County. Moved with his parents from Honey Creek Cove to the town of Llano before he was two years old. He attended Llano Public Schools a few years and had one year in Baylor University in Waco, Texas. On October 21, 1901 he married Bessie Caroline Harris at Weimar, Texas. She preceded him in death on May 5, 1919. To this union was born one daughter, Mary Nash Buttery. On April 15, 1925, he married Ethel

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Annie Alexander in Ilano, Texas. He was a member of the Methodist Church and the Masonic Lodge, an active civic worker, serving as president of the Llano Chamber of Commerce for many years. He was in the hardware business for approximately 50 years, retiring in January, 1946. On July 19, 1958 he departed from this like, having lived actively for 87 years. He was buried in the Llano Cemetery.

3 BESSIE CAROLINE HARRIS BUTTERY

Bessie Caroline Harris Buttery, daughter of Dr. John and Mary Nash Harris, was born at Columbus, Texas, on May 30, 1877. Her parents having died when she was quite young she was reared in the home of Edwin and Emil Harris Alexander (her Aunt) in Llano, Texas. She was educated in the Llano Public Schools, and was graduated from Cornell Institute in San Marcos, Texas. On October 24, 1901, at Weimar, Texas, she married John Franklin Buttery. To this union was born a daughter, Mary Nash Buttery. She was an active member of the Methodist Church all her life and was much interested in the civic welfare of her community. She died at Scott and White Hospital, Temple, Texas, on May 5, 1919. She was buried in the Llano Cemetery.

3 ETHEL ANNIE ALEXANDER BUTTERY

Ethel Annie Alexander Buttery, daughter of Edwin H. and Emily O. Harris Alexander, was born at Osage, Colorado County, Texas, on November 13, 1977. She was educated in the Llano Public Schools and is a member of the Methodist Church and the D. A. R. On April 5, 1925, she married John Franklin Buttery of Llano, Texas. She resides at her home in Llano, Texas.

4 MARY NASH BUTTERY PHILLIPS

Mary Nash Buttery Phillips, daughter of John Franklin Buttery and Bessie Harris Buttery, was born at Llano, Texas on July 27, 1904. She was graduated from Llano High School and Southwestern University at Georgetown, with a B.A. in 1926. She is a member of the Methodist Church, Delta Delta Sorority, and Delta Kappa Gamma Sorority. On April 19, 1927, she married Wendal Lee Phillips. She lives with her family at Phillips Ranch, Marble Falls, Burnett County, Texas.

4 WENDAL LEE PHILLIPS

Wendal Lee Phillips, son of Robert Lee and Mary Mabel Shelly Phillips, was born on the Phillips Ranch in Burnet County, Texas, on March 20, 1904. He was graduated from Marble Falls High School and Texas A & H with a B.S. in 1926. He is a member of the Methodist Church, Masonic Lodge, and is a ranchman by profession. On April 19, 1927, he married Mary Nash Buttery at Llano, Texas. To this union was born a son, Wendal Lee Phillips, Jr., at Austin on

August 9, 1930. He and his family live at Phillips Ranch, Marble Falls, Burnet County, Texas.

5 WENDAL LEE PHILLIPS, JR.

Wendal Lee Phillips, Jr., son of Wendal Lee and Mary Nash Buttery Phillips, was born at Seton Infirmary, Augtin, Texas, on August 9, 1930. He was graduated from Marble Falls High School and Southern Methodist University in Dallas with BBA in 1950. He is a member of the Methodist Church, Masonic Lodge, and Phi Delta Theta fraternity. He served with the navy and is now a lieutenant in the Navy Reserve Corps. He is in the banking business and lives at 1407 Enfield Road, Apartment 2, Austin, Texas.

3 VIOLET BUTTERY

Violet Buttery, daughter of Henry C. and Mississippi Ann Buttery, was born February 7, 1872, and died March 5, 1872. She is buried in the family plot in Llano Cemetery.

3 BESSIE BUTTERY

Bessie Buttery, daughter of Henry C. and Mississippi Ann Buttery, was born at Llano, Texas, on April 8, 1873. She was educated in the Llano public schools, was graduated from Sam Houston Teachers' College, Huntsville, Texas, with a B.S. Degree. She did postgraduate work at the University of Texas, Columbia University, and University of Colorado. She is a member of the Christian Church. She has devoted her life to the youth of Texas by teaching about 40 years in the public schools. She resides at 2120 South Boulevard, Houston, Texas.

3 NELLIE BUTTERY

Nellie Buttery, daughter of Henry C. and Mississippi Ann Buttery, was born on July 9, 1875, at Ilano. She was educated at Ilano Public Schools and was graduated from Sam Houston State Teachers' College with a B.S. She did postgraduate work at Texas University, Columbia University, and the University of Colorado. She was a member of the Christian Church and spent most of her life in the interest of children of Texas, as well as teaching about fifty years. She departed from this life on December 11, 1956, and was buried at Houston, Texas.

3 ANNIE BUTTERY ALEXANDER

Annie Buttery Alexander, daughter of Henry C. and Mississippi Ann Buttery, was born at Llano, Texas, on July 10, 1877. She was educated in the Llano Public Schools. On October 28, 1896, she married Frank Wescott Alexander of Llano. To this union were born four daughters; namely, Frances, Vivian, Lucille, and Estelle. Frances, Vivian, and Estelle died in infancy, and her husband died on September 4, 1904. She has devoted the most of her life to raising her daughter and helping other people. She is a member of Jehovah's Witnesses. Her present

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3 FRANK WESCOTT ALEXANDER

Frank Wescot Alexander, son of Frank L. and Margarett Wescott Alexander, was born in Termessee on April 26, 1875. He received a high school education and went into business for himself. On October 28, 1896, he married Annie Buttery at Elano, Texas. To this union were born four daughters, of which three died in infancy. He was an active member of the Christian Church and the Woodmen of the World. He died on September 4, 1904, and was buried in the Llano Cemetery.

4 FRANCES ALEXANDER

Frances Alexander, daughter of Frank W. and Annie Buttery Alexander, was born November 22, 1897, and died November 22, 1897. She was buried in the Ilano Cemetery.

L VIVIAN ALEXANDER

Vivian Alexander, daughter of Frank W. and Annie Buttery Alexander, was born October 25, 1898, and died July 11, 1899. She was buried in the Ilano Cemetery.

L ESTELLE ALEXANDER

Estelle Alexander, daughter of Frank W. and Annie Buttery Alexander, was born September 1, 1903, and died May 25, 1904. She was buried in the Llano Cemetery.

4 LUCILLE ALEXANDER BOLTZ

Lucille Alexander Boltz, daughter of Frank W. and Annie Buttery Alexander, was born at Llano, Texas, September 23, 1900. She was educated at Marlin, Texas high school, College of Industrial Arts, Denton, Texas, and Massey's Business College, Houston, She belongs to the Christian Scientist Church. On March 31, 1928, she married Emil A. Boltz, at Chicago, Illinois. She resides with her family at 2024 Bissonett, Houston, Texas.

4 EMIL A. BOLTZ

Emil A. Boltz, son of George and Louise Gill Boltz, was born at Earlville, Illinois, on June 27, 1882. He was educated in the Illinois public schools and is a member of the Lutheran Church. He was a salesman by profession. In 1918, he married Minerva Wilson, whom he lost by death in 1923. On March 31, 1928, he married Lucille Alexander in Chicago, Illinois. He lives with his family at 2024 Bissonott, Houston, Texas.

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3 RUTH BUTTERY

Ruth Buttery, daughter of Henry C. and Mississippi Ann Buttery, was born at Llano, Texas, on March 16, 1879. She was educated in Llano public schools and the Women's College at Denton, Texas. She taught school when she was able. She was unfortunate in having polio when she was young and was a cripple most of her life. During the last twenty years of her life, she lived with her sisters, Lucy and Annie. She was a member of Jehovah's Witnesses. In November, 1952, she died at Houston, Texas, and was buried by her sister, Lucy, in the Lindsey plot in the Waco Cemetery, Waco, Texas.

3 HENRY C. BUTTERY II

Henry C. Buttery, son of Henry C. and Mississippi Ann Buttery, was born at Ilano, Texas, on June 29, 1883. He was graduated from the Ilano High School in 1902. He spent his life as a hardware merchant. On June 21, 1917, he married Bessie Leo Atkins. This union was blessed with one son, Henry C. Buttery III, who was born on September 27, 1924. He was an active member of the Christian Church, Masonic Lodge, and was chairman of the American Red Cross and Home Service during World War II. He died on October 11, 1950, at the Seton Hospital, Austin, Texas, and was buried in the Ilano Cemetery.

3 BESSIE ATKINS BUTTERY

Bessie Atkins Buttery, daughter of John D. and Maria Dixon Atkins, was born at Verona, Mississippi, on April 6, 1890. She is a graduate of Llano High School and Southwest Texas State Normal in San Marcos, Texas. She is a member of the Methodist Church. She married Henry C. Buttery II on June 21, 1917, at Llano, Texas. To this union was born one son, Henry C. Buttery III, on September 27, 1924, at Seton Infirmary, Austin, Texas. She lives in the family home in Llano, Texas.

4 HENRY C. BUTTERY III

Henry C. Buttery, son of Henry C. Buttery II and Bessie Atkins Buttery, was born at Seton Hospital, Austin, Texas, on September 27, 1924. He was graduated from the Llano High School in 1942, attended A & M one year and was graduated from Georgia Tech in 1945. He is an engineer by profession and a hardware merchant by choice. He was discharged from the Marine Corp as a captain in 1957. He is a member of the Methodist Church and an active community leader. On February 18, 1951, he married Norma Lee Wasserman of Brownwood, Texas. This couple has three children; namely, Brenda Ann, Jean, and William Henry. He and his family live at Illano, Texas.

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NORMA LEE WASSERMAN BUTTERY

Norma Lee Wasserman Buttery, daughter of William H. and Jessie Crockett Wasserman, was born at Mullen, Texas, on November 14, 1926. She was educated in public school and was graduated from Tarlton College in Stephenville, Texas, in 1944, and Southwest State Teachers' College in San Marcos, Texas, in 1946. On February 18, 1951, she married Henry C. Buttery III at Brownwood, Texas. To this union have been born three children: Brenda Ann Buttery, December 8, 1951, at Brownwood, Texas; Jean Buttery, January 28, 1954, at Burnet, Texas; William Henry Buttery, 1956, at Burnet, Texas. She lives with her husband in Llano, Texas.

5 BRENDA ANN BUTTERY 1917279

Brenda Ann Buttery, daughter of Henry C. Buttery III and Norma Lee Wasserman Buttery, was born at Brownwood, Texas, December 8, 1951.

5 JEAN BUTTERY

Jean Buttery, daughter of Henry C. Buttery III and Norma Lee Wasserman Buttery, was born at Burnet, Texas, on January 28, 1954.

5 WILLIAM HENRY BUTTERY

William Henry Buttery, son of Henry C. Buttery III and Norma Lee Wasserman Buttery, was born on August 29, 1956, at Burnet, Texas.

3 LUCY BUTTERY LINDSEY

Lucy Buttery Lindsey, daughter of Henry C. Buttery and Mississippi Ann Buttery, was born at Llano, Texas. She was educated in the Llano Public Schools. On August 5, 1918, she married William H. Lindsey at Houston, Texas. They lived in Marlin for a number of years and then moved to Plainview, Texas. She died in a hospital at Dallas, Texas, on May 11, 1936, and was buried in the family plot of the Lindsey family at Waco, Texas. She was a member of Jehovah's Witnesses.

3 WILLIAM H. LINDSEY

William H. Lindsey was born on June 1, 1878, in Tennessee. He was educated in Waco public schools. He was a member of the Baptist Church and the Masonic Lodge. He married Lucy Buttery on August 5, 1918, at Houston, Texas. This couple had no children. He died on August 11, 1954, and was buried at Lubbock, Texas.

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3 ALBERT JAMES BUTTERY

Albert James Buttery, son of Henry C. I and Mississippi Ann Buttery, was born at Llano, Texas, on October 23, 1888. He was graduated from the Llano Public Schools in 1904. Professionally, he was educated as a pharmacist at the School of Pharmacy, University of Texas. On June 13, 1913, he married Dorothy Hoss of Fairfax, Oklahoma. To this couple were born the following children: Albert Gordon, Edwin Boynton, James Mc Anulty, Lewis Merriman, Dorothy Alice, and Robert Franklin. He is a member of the Christian Church and the Masonic Lodge. He lives at 1621 Grierson, San Angelo, Texas.

3 DOROTHY HOSS BUTTERY

Dorothy Hoss Buttery, daughter of Nelson Harvey and Alice Maddox Hoss, was born on her grandfather's farm close to Griggsville, Illinois. She was educated in public school and a convent which belonged to the Presbyterian Church. On June 13, she married Albert James Buttery at Fairfax, Oklahoma. To this couple were born the following children: Albert Gordon, Edwin Boynton, James Mc Anulty, Lewis Merriman, Dorothy Alice, and Robert Franklin. She lives with her husband at 1621 Grierson Street, San Angelo, Texas.

L ALBERT GORDON BUTTERY

Albert Gordon Buttery, son of Albert James and Dorothy Buttery, was born at Waco, Texas, on March 23, 1914. He was educated in the San Angelo High School. He was a member of the First Christian Church of San Angelo and was an Eagle Scout. He died of pneumonia on April 17, 1930 and was buried in San Angelo, Texas.

4 EDWIN BOYNTON BUTTERY

Edwin Boynton Buttery, son of Albert James and Dorothy Hoss Buttery, was born at San Angelo, Texas, on July 14, 1915. He is a graduate of San Angelo High School, San Angelo College, United States Military Academy with a B. S. degree, University of Southern California with a M. S. degree, On September 9, 1945, he married Mary Elizabeth Glannen. To this couple were born two children: Edwin B. Buttery, Jr., September 2, 1946, Fort Sill, Oklahoma; one daughter, who lived only a few hours, born August 28, 1950 in Tokyo, Japan. He spent his adult life in the United States Army. He is a member of the Christian Church. His present address is El Paso, Texas.

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L MARY ELIZABETH GLANNEN BUTTERY

Mary Elizabeth Glannen Buttery, daughter of W. E. and Margaret Coughlin Glennan, was born at Hattiesburg, Mississippi, on April 7, 1923. She was graduated from Hattiesburg High School and Mississippi Southern College with a B.S. degree. She is a member of the Catholic Church. She is by profession a medical laboratory technician. On September 9, 1945, she married Edwin B. Buttery at Hattiesburg, Mississippi. To this union were born: a son, Edwin B. Buttery, Jr., on September 2, 1946, at Fort Sill, Oklahoma; a daughter on August 28, 1950 in Tokyo, Japan. She died shortly after birth. Mrs. Buttery now lives in El Paso, Texas.

5 EDWIN BOYNTON BUTTERY, JR.

Edwin Boynton Buttery, Jr., was born at Fort Sill, Oklahoma, on September 2, 1946, son of Edwin Boynton and Mary Elizabeth Glannen Buttery. She lives with his parents in El Paso, Texas.

L JAMES MC ANULTY BUTTERY

James Mc Anulty Buttery, son of Albert James and Dorothy Hoss Buttery, was born at San Angelo, Texas, on June 24, 1917. He was graduated from San Angelo public schools, San Angelo College, University of Texas with a B. S., and Medical School of University of Texas with M. B. During the World War II, he served as a fighter pilot at Guadalcanal and serving with each strike to the Phillipine Bay. After the war, he finished his medical education and entered private practice in San Antonio, Texas. He is a member of the American Medical Society, Texas Medical Association, Academy of General Practice, and Bexar County Medical Society. He is a Baptist deacon. On March 24, 1943, he married Edna Walpole at Corpus Christi, Texas. To this union were born two children: Dorothy Elizabeth Buttery, July 7, 1945 at Naval Hospital, San Diego, California; and James Warren Buttery, December 30, 1947, at St. Mary's Infirmary, Galveston, Texas. He lives with his family at 202 Robin Hood, San Antonio, Texas.

4 EDNA WALPOLE BUTTERY

Edna Walpole Buttery, daughter of Jessie W. and Nancy Allen Walpole, was born on September 7, 1919, at Teague, Texas. She was graduated from Water Valley High School and San Angolo Business College. She is a member of the Baptist Church. On March 24, 1943, she married James Mc Anulty Buttery at Corpus Christi, Texas. To this union were born a daughter, Dorothy Elizabeth, and a son, James Warren. She lives with her family at 202 Robin Hood, San Antonio, Texas.

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5 DOROTHY ELIZABETH BUTTERY

Dorothy Elizabeth Buttery, daughter of James Mc Anulty and Edna Walpole Buttery, was born at the Naval Hospital, San Diego, California, on July 7, 1945. She goes to the San Antonio Public Schools and is a member of the Baptist Church. She lives with her parents at 202 Robin Hood, San Antonio, Texas.

5 JAMES WARREN BUTTERY

James Warren Buttery, son of James Mc Anulty and Edna Walpole Buttery, was born at John Sealy Hospital, Galveston, Texas, on December 30, 1947. He attends San Antonio public schools and is a member of the Baptist Church. He lives with his parents at 202 Robin Hood, San Antonio, Texas.

4 LEWIS MERRIMAN BUTTERY

Lewis Merriman Buttery, son of Albert James and Dorothy Hoss Buttery, was born on March 20, 1924, at San Angelo, Texas. He was graduated from San Angelo High School and received a B.S. from the University of Texas. He is a member of the Presbyterian Church. During World War II, he served in the U.S. Navy as a lieutenant (J.G.). On May 29, 1948, he married Virginia Nell Kerzee of Mexia, Texas. To this union were born a daughter, Virginia Alice Buttery, March 6, 1950, at Houston, Texas, and a son, David Nelson Buttery, September 4, 1954, at Texas City, Texas. He and his family live at 214 Bernice Street, La Marque, Texas.

L VIRGINIA NELL KERZER BUTTERY

Virginia Nell Kerzee Buttery, daughter of Will and Lucy Bozeman Kerzee, was born on January 18, 1929, at Mexia, Texas. She was graduated from the Mexia High School. On May 29, 1948, she married Lewis Merriman Buttery. To this union were born two children, namely: Virginia Alice and David Nelson Buttery. She and her family live at 214 Barnice Street, La Marque, Texas.

5 VIRGINIA ALICE BUTTERY

Virginia Alice Buttery, daughter of Lewis M. and Virginia Kerzee Buttery, was born on March 6, 1950, at Houston, Texas. She lives with her parents at 214 Bernice Street, La Marque, Texas.

5 DAVID NELSON BUTTERY

David Nelson Buttery, son of Lewis M. and Virginia Kerzec Buttery, was born at Texas City, September 4, 1954. He lives with his parents at 214 Bernice Street, La Marque, Texas.

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4 DOROTHY ALICE BUTTERY

Dorothy Alice Buttery, daughter of Albert James and Dorothy Hoss Buttery, was born at San Angelo, October 21, 1926. She was graduated from San Angelo High School and from the University of Texas with a B. A. She is a member of the Presbyterian Church and is a teacher. Her address is 1621 Grierson Street, San Angelo, Texas.

L ROBERT FRANKLIN BUTTERY

Robert Franklin Buttery, son of Albert James and Dorothy Hoss Buttery, was born in San Angelo on March 2, 1929. He was graduated from San Angelo High School and received a B. S. from Texas Technological College of Lubbock. He received a M. S. from Colorado A. and M. College of Fort Collins, Colorado. He served during the Korean Conflict with the 7th Marines, First Marine Division. On November 22, 1950, he married Nancy Jean Powers at San Diego, California. This couple have a son, Douglas Gordon Buttery, who was born March 19, 1956. He and his family live on the San Jaugum Valley Experiment Range, O'Neals, California.

4 NANCY JEAN POWERS BUTTERY

Nancy Jean Powers Buttery, daughter of Rufus Luther and Dorothy Jean Tinker Powers, was born on September 29, 1930, at Lubbock, Texas. She is a graduate of high school and received her B. A. from Texas Technological College at Lubbock, Texas. She belongs to the Presbyterian Church and is a school teacher. On November 22, 1950, she married Robert Franklin Buttery at San Diego, California. To this union was born a son, Douglas Gordon Buttery, on March 19, 1956, at Fresno, California.

5 DOUGLAS GORDON BUTTERY

Douglas Gordon Buttery, son of Robert Franklin and Nancy Jean Powers Buttery, was born at Fresno, California, on March 19, 1956. He lives with his father and mother at O'Neals, California.

3 LESTER LEROY BUTTERY

Lester LeRoy Buttery, son of Henry C. and Mississippi Ann Buttery, was born on November 16, 1890, at Llano, Texas. He was graduated from Llano High School and the School of Pharmacy, University of Texas. He bought a drug store at Cuero, Texas, February 1, 1921, which he now operates. On November 8, 1921, he married Kliza Dawe at Gonzales, Texas. He is a member of the Methodist Church, Masonic Lodge, Texas Pharmaceutical Association, and National Association of Retail Druggists. He lives at 309 West Sarah Street, Cuero, Texas.

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3 KLIZA DAWE BUTTERY

Eliza Dawe Buttery, daughter of Thomas and Catherine Anear Dawe, was born on her father's farm near Wrightsboro, Texas, on June 8, 1891. She was graduated from Gonzales High School. She is a member of the Methodist Church and the Hawthorne Club of Cuero. On November 8, 1821, she married Lester Le Roy Buttery at Gonzales, Texas. She lives at 309 West Sarah Street, Cuero, Texas.

3 VIVA BUTTERY ANDREAS

Viva Buttery Andreas, daughter of Henry C. and Mississippi Ann Buttery, was born at Llano, Texas, on January 30, 1896. She was graduated from Llano High School and the Rice Institute of Houston with a B.A. degree. She is a member of the Phi Beta Kappa chapter of The Rice Institute. She belongs to the Christian Church. She has taught school a large part of her adult life. On November 11, 1922 she married Homer Lewis Andreas of Houston, Texas. To this union was born one daughter, Ann Andreas, on April 28, 1924, at Houston, Texas. Viva and her husband live at 2120 South Boulevard, Houston, Texas.

3 HOMER LEWIS ANDREAS

Homer Lewis Andreas, son of Aaron M. and Martha Marshall Andreas, was born at Indianola, Iowa, on August 22, 1881. He was educated in the New London, Iowa, Public Schools. He moved to Houston on September 9, 1913, and spent most of his adult life working for the Southern Pacific Railroad in its freight department. He retired from active work on September 1, 1951. He is a member of the Baptist Church and the Masonic Lodge. On November 11, 1922, he married Viva Buttery at Houston, Texas. They have one daughter, Ann Andreas. He and his wife live at 2120 Boulevard, Houston, Texas.

4 ANN ANDRESS BACOT

Ann Andreas Bacot, daughter of Homer Lewis and Viva Buttery Andreas, was born at Houston on April 28, 1924. She was graduated from Houston Public Schools and did three and one-half years' college work at Rice Institute, Houston, Texas. She is a member of St. Matthew's Episcopal Church, Belaire, Texas. On June 1, 1943, she married David Taylor Bacot at Amarillo, Texas. This couple now has three children, namely: David Taylor Bacot III, Houston, September 14, 1945; Lucy Ann Bacot, Houston, October 10, 1946; Frances Viva Bacot, Houston, March 13, 1952. They live at Bellaire, Texas.

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4 DAVID TAYLOR BACOT

David Taylor Bacot, son of David Taylor and Frances Chapman Bacot, was born at Baton Route, Louisiana, on February 19, 1918. He was educated at Baton Route, Louisiana, High School. He is a member of St. Matthew's Episcopal Church, Bellaire, Texas. He was a technical sergeant in the U. S. Air Force during the war and was in Sweden for the last six months of the war. On June 1, 1943, he married Ann Andreas at Amarillo, Texas. To this union were born three children: David Taylor III, Lucy Ann, Frances Viva. He and his family live at Bellaire, Texas.

5 DAVID TAYLOR BACOT III

David Taylor Bacot, son of David Taylor II and Ann Andreas Bacot, was born at Houston, Texas, September 14, 1945. He lives with his parents at Bellaire, Texas.

5 LUCY ANN BACOT

Lucy Ann Bacot, daughter of David Taylor II and Ann Andreas Bacot, was born at Houston, Texas, October 10, 1946. She lives with her parents at Bellaire, Texas.

5 FRANCES VIVA BACOT

Frances Viva Bacot, daughter of David Bacot II and Ann Andreas Bacot, was born at Houston, Texas, on March 13, 1952.

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 - 4 Wilburn Buttery
 - 4 Joan Wickersham Buttery
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2 GEORGE BUTTERY

George Buttery, son of John and Elizabeth Buttery, was born in Llano County on September 17, 1854. He grew to manhood in Llano County, went to the public schools. He spent his life in the ranching and farming industry. On October 10, 1883, he married Martha Jane Harvey. To this union were born ten children; namely: Mabel, Burnie, Miles, Clyde, George, Zelma, Myrtle, Odle, Orville and John C. Buttery. He departed this life on October 13, 1911, and was buried in the Llano Cemetery.

Z MARTHA JANE HARVEY BUTTERY

Martha Jane Harvey Buttery, daughter or Uriah and Ruth Harvey was born in Alabama, October 1, 1856. As a girl she moved to Texas with her brother. She was educated in the public schools. On October 10, 1883, she married George Buttery of Llano. To this union were born ten children. She spent her life caring for her family and was an active member of the Christian Church. To her many nieces and nephews she was our dearly beloved Aunt Mattie. Death claimed her July 12, 1946, and she was laid to rest in the Llano Cemetery.

3 MABEL BUTTERY LONG

Mabel Buttery, daughter of George and Martha Jane Buttery, was born September 1, 1884 at their ranch near Llano, Texas. She was educated in the Llano School and business colleges at Austin and Houston. She was an employee of Humble Oil and Réfining Company. She is a member of the Christian Church. On February 18, 1951 she married Austin Long at San Benito, Texas, but no children were born to this union. She lives at Llano, Texas.

3 AUSTIN LONG

Austin Long, son of Bill and Sarah Long, was born at Lampasas, Texas on May 26, 1879. He was educated in the Lampasas Public Schools and was a member of the Baptist Church and the Masonić Lodge. On February 18, 1851, he married Mabel Buttery at San Benito, Texas. He had one son, Dr. Austin Long, by a former marriage. He spent his life as a saddle merchant. He departed this life on April 20, 1954, and was buried in the Lampasas Cemetery.

3 BURNIE BUTTERY

Burnie Buttery, daughter of George and Martha Jane Buttery, was born on June 17, 1886. She was educated in Llano Schools and was a member of the Christian Church. She departed this life on September 25, 1914.

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3 MILES BUTTERY

Miles Buttery, son of George and Martha Jane Buttery, was born at Llano on April 1, 1888. He was educated in the Llano School and has been a funeral director in Llano many years. He is a member of the Methodist Church and Masonic Lodge. On May 9, 1918, he married Pearl Donop at Art, Texas. To this union was born a son, Harold, on July 30, 1924. He lives with his wife at Llano.

3 PEARL DONOP BUTTERY

Pearl Donop Buttery, daughter of August and Marie Donop, was born at Art, Mason County, Texas, October 11, 1892. She was educated at Blinn Memorial College, Brenham, Texas and South West Texas Teachers College, San Marcos, Texas. On May 9, 1918, she married Miles Buttery at Art, Texas. To this union two children were born, Harold and Vivian. She taught School in Llano and is an active member of the Methodist Church and the Eastern Star. She lives with her family at 301 East Sandstone Street, Llano, Texas.

L HAROLD BUTTERY

Harold Buttery, son of Miles and Pearl Buttery, was born at Llano, Texas, on July 30, 1922. He was graduated from the Llano High School, the University of Texas with a B.A. degree and from the Medical Department with an M.D. degree. He is a member of the Methodist Church, and an active practitioner of medicine in San Antonio. On June 6, 1947, he married Lillian Hull. To this whion was born a son, Miles, on July 14, 1955. Dr. Buttery and his family live in San Antonio, Texas.

4 LILLIAN HULL BUTTERY

Lillian Hull Buttery, daughter of T. P. and Syble Hull, was born at San Antonio, Texas, on February 22, 1926. She is a graduate of the Alamo High School and Mary Baldwin College of Virginia. On June 6, 1947, she married Dr. Buttery at San Antonio. To this union was born a son, Miles Buttery II. She is a member of the Methodist Church and lives at 307 E. Hermosa Street, San Antonio, Texas.

5 MILES BUTTERY II

Miles Buttery II, son of Harold and Lillian Buttery, was born July 14, 1955 in San Antonio, Texas.

4 VIVIAN BUTTERY

Vivian Buttery, daughter of Miles and Pearl Buttery, was born at Llano on November 1, 1924. She was educated in the Llano School and received her B. A. from University of Texas, Austin. She is a Methodist. On July 5, 1948 she was married to Captain Robert L. Kollman. To this union were born two children: Robby, August 13, 1952, at San Marcos, Texas; Sheryl Anne at Corvallis, Oregon, August 31, 1954. They are at home in Frankfurt, Germany.

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L CAPTAIN ROBERT L. KOLLMAN

Captain Robert L. Kollman Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Kollman, Sr., was born at Hondo, Texas, February 1, 1925. He is a graduate of the Hondo High School, and has a B. A. from Texas and A. & M. College, A. & M. College Station, and an M. A. degree from a college in Oregon. On July 5, 1948, he married Vivian Buttery. To this union were born two children, Robby and Sheryl Anne. He is a captain in the U. S. Air Corps, and is making this his career. He has served his country five years in Japan and Germany. He is a member of Methodist Church and lives in Frankfurt, Germany.

5 ROBBY KOLIMAN

Robby Kollman, son of Captain Robert L. Kollman and Vivian Kollman, was born at San Marcos, Texas, on August 13, 1952.

5 SHERYL ANNE KOLIMAN

Sheryl Anne Kollman, daughter of Captain Robert L. Kollman and Vivian Kollman, was born at Corvallis, Oregon, on August 31, 1953.

3 CLYDE BUTTERY

Clyde Buttery, son of George and Martha Jane Buttery, was born in Llano on November 1, 1889. He was educated in Llano Public Schools. He was a World War I veteran and a member of the American Legion.

On August 11, 1952, he married a widow, Ida Lloyd, who had one son, Charles Lloyd. He was active in the business life of Llano, but this all came to an end on August 11, 1952, when he departed this life. He is buried in the Ilano Cemetery.

3 IDA LLOYD BUTTERY

Ida Zetzmann Lloyd Buttery, daughter of Hugo Max and Hanna Zetzmann, was born at Alleyton, Texas, on May 13, 1901. She was educated at Roscoe High School. On September 13, 1936, she married Clyde Buttery. She had a son, Charles Lloyd, by a former marriage. She spent a large part of her life as a saleslady. She is an active member of the Lutheran Church and the Eastern Star. She lives in Roscoe, Texas.

3 GEORGE BUTTERY

George Buttery, son of George and Martha Jane Buttery, was born on July 12, 1891, and died January 23, 1893. He is buried in Llano, Texas.

3 ZELMA BUTTERY

Zelma Buttery, daughter of George and Martha Jane Buttery, was born on August 17, 1893, and died November 17, 1894. She was buried at Llano, Texas.

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MYRTLE BUTTERY

Myrtle Buttery, daughter of George and Martha Jane Buttery, was born on March 14, 1895 and died on February 23, 1896. She was buried at Llano, Texas.

3 ORVILLE BUTTERY

Orville Buttery, son of George and Martha Jane Buttery, was one of twins born on May 12, 1897, at Llano, Texas. He was educated in Llano Public Schools. He was a member of the Methodist Church, Masonic Lodge, and American Legion. He was a Veteran of World War I. He operated the Corner Drug Company and was able to serve his state as a Director of L.C.R.A.

On July 11, 1922, he married Helen Oatman at Llano, Texas. To this union were born two sons, Orville Jr. and Wilburn Oatman. He was killed in an automobile accident on December 15, 1946, and was buried at Llano Cemetery.

3 HELEN OATMAN BUTTERY

Helen Oatman Buttery, daughter of Wilburn and Dora Oatman, was born at Llano, Texas, on August 1, 1898. She is a graduate of Llano High School and has a B. A. degree from Southwestern University of Georgetown, Texas. On July 11, 1922, she married Orville Buttery. To this union two sons were born, Orville, Jr., and Wilburn O. Buttery. She taught school at Llano. She is the organist and an active member of the Methodist Church. She lives at 405 Berry Street, Llano, Texas.

4 ORVILLE BUTTERY, JR.

Orville Buttery, Jr., son of Orville and Helen Oatman Buttery, was born at Llano, Texas, on November 18, 1927. He is a graduate of Llano Public Schools, a member of the Methodist Church. On March 21, 1953, he married Jacqueline Jackman. To this union no children have been born. He is a salesman and he and his wife now live at Midland, Texas.

4 JACQUELINE JACKMAN BUTTERY

Jacqueline Jackman Buttery, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Jackman, was born on January 10, 1929. She is a graduate of an Eklahoma high school and has a B. A. from Oklahoma University. On March 21, 1953, she married Orville Buttery, Jr. She teaches school at Midland, Texas, and is a member of the Baptist Church. She lives with her husband at 2602 West Hollaway, Midland, Texas.

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h WILBURN O. BUTTERY

Wilburn O. Buttery, son of Orville and Helen Catman Buttery, was born at Llano on September 13, 1930. He is a graduate of Llano High School, has a B. A. from Southwestern University, Georgetown, and a M. A. degree from Sul Ross College at Alpine, Texas. He is a member of the Methodist Church. He spent three years in U. S. Army Medical Corps, two of which were in Europe. On June 1, 1956 he married Jann Wickersham of Killen, Texas and they have a daughter, Maralee. He is employed as history teacher in the Midland High School.

L JANN WICKERSHAM BUTTERY

Jan Wickersham Buttery, daughter of Jeff and Josephine Wickersham was born at Mangum, Oklahoma, September 21, 1934. Her step-father is G. W. Warren. She has a B.B.S. from Southwestern University, Georgetown, Texas. On June 1, 1956 she married Wilburn O. Buttery at Killeen, Texas. To this union was born a daughter. Janu Wickersham Buttery teaches school and is a member of the Methodist Church. She lives with her family at 2706 East Roosevelt Street, Midland, Texas.

5 MARALEE BUTTERY

Maralee Buttery, daughter of Wilburn O. Buttery and Jam Wickersham Buttery, was born at Midland, Texas, on December 24, 1957.

3 ODLE BUTTERY

Odle Buttery, son of George and Martha Jane Buttery, was born at Llano on May 12, 1897. He was a twin brother of Orville Buttery. He died on December 19, 1903; and was buried at Llano, Texas.

3 JOHN C. BUTTERY

John C. Buttery, son of George and Martha Jane Buttery, was born at Llano, December 9, 1899. He was a graduate of Llano High School and Nixon-Clay College, Austin, Texas. He was a member of the first Christian Church and for many years was consignee for Magnolia Petroleum Company. On July 21, 1920, he married Kathryn Lord of Llano. To this union was born one daughter, Doris. He departed this life, November 22, 1958. His wife lives at Llano, Texas.

4 KATHRYN LCRD DUTTERY

Kathryn Lee Lord Buttery, daughter of William D. Lord and Addie Lee Lord was born at Valley Springs, Llano County, on November 16, 1900. She is a graduate of Llano High School. On July 21, 1920 she married John C. Buttery. To this union was born one daughter, Doris. She is an active member of the First Christian Church. Her home is at 801 Wright Street, Llano, Texas.

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L DORIS BUTTERY PIERCE

Doris Buttery, daughter of John C. Buttery and Kathryn Lord Buttery, was born at Llano, on November 19, 1923. She was educated at Llano High School, Texas Christian University, Fort Worth, and University of Texas, Austin. She is a member of the Christian Church. On September 5, 1948, she married Douglas Pierce at Llano, Texas. They have two children: John Pierce, born March 26, 1954, at Texas City, Texas; and Dale Lee Pierce, born on May 3, 1957, at Texas City, Texas. They make their home at Texas City, Texas.

4 DOUGLAS PIERCE

Douglas Pierce, son of Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Pierce was born at Holland, Texas, on August 26, 1924. He has a B.A. and M.A. from the University of Texas and a L.L.D. from the Law School at Houston. During the war he was a member of the U. S. Marine Corp. On September 5, 1948, he married Doris Buttery at Llano, Texas. To this union were born two children: a son, John and a daughter, Dale Lee. He is Personnel Director for Monsanto Chemical Company, Texas City. He is a member of the First Christian Church and active in civic life of his community. He lives with his family at 738 20th Avenue N, Texas City.

5 JOHN PIERCE

John Pierce, son of Douglas and Doris Pierce, was born at Texas City, Texas, on March 26, 1954.

5 DALE LEE PIERCE

Dale Lee Pierce, daughter of Douglas and Doris Pierce, was born at Texas City, Texas, on May 3, 1957.

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Heslop Buttery

Heslop Buttery, son of John and Elizabeth Buttery, was born December 13, 1950. He was educated in the public schools. He was a member of Church of Christ. He spent his life on his ranch in the Wright Creek vicinity of Llano County. He married Martha A. (Date and maiden name of wife unknown). He died January 1, 1910 and was buried in the Llano Cemetery.

Martha A. Buttery

Martha A. (Maiden name unknown) married Heslop Buttery and lived on a small ranch near Llano. She was a member of the Church of Christ. Her death came May 24, 1910. She was buried in Llano Cemetory.

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MILES BARLER

By Jane Ellen Nicholson

Texas, once a barren waste land, was settled by men of a particular breed. These men seem to us today sometimes harsh, but they did what was necessary to preserve life and settle the frontier. Miles Barler was one of these men. He was a pioneer, Indian fighter, Confederate soldier, cattleman, merchant, and citizen. His life covered seventy-five years and during this time he was active and fearless. During his lifetime he made the transition from "Martinique of justice" to Santa Claus.

Miles Barler was born in Illinois in 1833; he was the first son of John Barler and his second wife, Catherine Lee. Orphaned at an early age, he and his siblings made their home with relatives, changing homes regularly. In 1850, the Oatman family was on its way to Texas, and Miles Barler and brother paid them \$25 to bring them. They arrived in Texas late in 1850 and went directly to Bastrop County where they remained for seven years. During this time Barler worked for the Oatmans and saved his money and invested it in stock. His brother died, leaving a widow and daughter who married a man by the name of Lambert. Finally in 1851 Barler and the Oatman family moved to Llano in Llano County, where they remained the rest of their lives. Miles Barler married Jane Buttery, an English girl, in 1858. She was born in Whitby, England. She was one of sixteen children. The family came to Texas in 1845. Her father, John Buttery, was by profession a contractor. He lost everything he had in a business venture. Rather than be a pauper in England he came to the wilds of Central Texas. He later built the first state capital in Austin.

In 1859 they moved into their own home which was to later become Barler Flat in Llano. Until this time they lived with her family. Her father was John Buttery, an engineering contractor, who built the first capitol of Texas which later burned.

In 1862, Barler went into the Civil War. He was a member of the Mabey Company which was formed in Llano and made up of men from that country. They left Llano in the spring of 1862 and returned in the spring of 1865, at the close of the war. In March 1864, while he was attached to General Walker's command, the enemy was sighted near the Reed River in Louisiana. The Confederate forces being horribly outnumbered decided to fall back so they could obtain a better position out of reach of the enemy gunboats. As the retreat began, one company from each regiment was detached to go to Fort De Russy on the Red River and serve as a decoy while the main body of the troops escaped. Miles Barler was among one of the companies detached to serve as a decoy. There were only about one

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hundred men in the fort, but they were able to hold out long enough for the Walker Division to get to safety. The odds were 100 Confederates to about 20,000 Unionists. When the fort was taken the "Yankees" were much surprised to find only a handful of the division in the fort.

The prisoners were taken to New Orleans where they remained nearly four months until their exchange. They were aided by the women of New Orleans during their enternment. No one was allowed inside the prison unless they were related to one of the prisoners. Each prisoner soon acquired relatives of his own which helped him immensely. During the imprisonment, Barler and some of the other men began to make articles to be sold by their relatives. This money enabled them to have many things that made life easier. Some of the men were even aided in their escape by the "kind women of N.O." They were taken to Shreveport and exchanged. After a 60-day furlough, they returned to the war and remained until 1865.

When Miles Barler, a Confederate, was taken prisoner by the Federal forces under General Banks, his brother, John Barler, a Yankee, who served in Company K of the 47th Illinois Division, aided in the capture of the brother. The two brothers had been separated when Miles came to Texas. Both brothers went through the battle and the capture without recognizing each other. It was not until they both were old men that the brothers found out that the other was still alive and the full story of the battle was known. Their meeting oce cured by chance. John Barler happened to see an ad in a newspaper of a Barler Oil Heating Company and wondering if the head of the concern might be some kin of his, he wrote to the company. He learned that the oil man was a nephew of his and a son of another brother, Oison, who had been separated from him also. The nephew wrote his long lost uncle and gave him the address of Miles Barler. John wrote to Miles at once expressing his desire to see a real Johnny Rebel. The result was that Miles planned to visit him at his home in Stark County, Illinois. In June of that year Miles journeyed to Illinois. He walked into the brother's blacksmith shop and asked him if he would fix his wagon for credit. John Barler replied that he took no business on credit. Miles took hold of his brother and said, "Well, I guess here's a real live Johnny Rebel, and if you don't fix that wagon, I guess you'll see how a real live Johnny can act."2 When the word "Johnny" was spoken the two shook hands, for the first time in 56 years.

Miles Barler, Early Days in Llano.

² Unidentified newspaper article.

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After the war, Miles Barler returned to Texas. His life became a series of events that to us today seem usual and in some cases hard to believe. During the Civil War the Indians, knowing that most of the men were away from home, became extremely troublesome. With the fall of the Confederacy in 1865 and the returning of the soldiers to civilian life, the men had to defend themselves and their homes from the Indians until they were no longer a threat to their safety. Miles Barler was always ready to answer the call to arms against the Indians. Many of these incidents may be found in his autobiography, Early Days in Llano. One of these events stands out in mind, not only because of its adventurous light, but because of the humorous side which does much to show the inquisitive nature of Miles Barler. In the early 1870's, Indians, probably Comanche, had stolen all of Miles Barler's horses. He and some of his neighbors who had also been raided by the Indians formed a posse and rode after the savages. When the Indians were finally encountered. a gun battle followed in which several Indians were killed. One of the dead men had been shot by Barler. Barler had always heard that the Indians came back to get their dead after night fall, so to prove this idea was wrong, he sat on the dead Indian until morning. There are several other of these Indian exploits which may be found in his book. I have heard it said by men who knew him that he would rather have killed Indians than flies.

Miles Barler always stood on the side of law and order and was willing to fight for it. On numerous occasions he was a member of various possies organized to go after thieves. In the early days Llano County was over-run with thieves and bandits. Barler served as deputy sheriff for a number of years under Sheriff Bozarth, who could always depend on Barler for help. Many of these incidents can be found in his book, Early Days in Llano, and I will not attempt to elaborate on them. There is, however, one unrecorded incident that I believe merits particular attention. One day Sheriff Bozarth was having a gun battle in the street with some outlaws; he was backing down the street in the direction of Miles Barler's store and was running low on ammunition. Barler, standing in the doorway of his store, noticed the plight of Bozarth and immediately grabbed his shotgun and ran into the street. He told the Sheriff that he would hold them off until he went into his store and got ammunition. His exact words were, "I'll keep the dogs off of you." In addition to being a Deputy Sheriff, he also accompanied the Texas Rangers on several occasions. He was known by the Rangers, and when in the vicinity, they would always stop by to see if he would like to join them. He loved the excitement and was always a good man to have around in a fight. Miles Barler killed many men but never once, to my knowledge, did he ever shoot a man in cold blood. He was not a killer.

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In his day he was a leading citizen of Llano County. Llano experienced its "boom days" around 1880. During this period the main concern of the people of the county was to have the railroad come to Llano. The Aransas Pass Railroad offered to put a line into Llano if the citizens would pay for the section down to Sandy Creek, the railroad paying for the rest of it. Twenty-seven men from the county signed their names to the note to pay for it; Miles Barler was one of the signers. Captain W. H. Miller was responsible for the railroad making this concession; therefore, he and the others were held responsible for the full balance of the note when the citizens of Illano failed to get the money together. The railroad brought suit against Miller and the others; the case was taken to court and the men of Llano lost. The case was appealed through the state and finally resulted in a judgement against the citizens. M. M. Hargus, who was the county clerk at the time, paid the note from his own pocket on April 19, 1898. All Hargus received was the valuable consideration of the men involved. Miles Barler had to take a lien on most of his property to pay his portion of the debt. The total of the debt was 20,000 dollars. He took great pride in Llano, "His Town," and throughout his life was active in civic endeavors.

Barler's business affairs were as varied as they could be. For most of his life he owned and lived partly on a ranch just outside of Llano. The ranch was on Pecan Creek and consisted of 1280 acres. He also had a combination hardware and grocery store located in the old Watkins Building, which is still standing in Llano. Miles Barler had very little education, and when asked how he made money, he answered that he marked everything up 100 per cent, and more paid than didn't, so he usually broke even. He was never known to refuse to give credit to anyone. Miles Barler and his family always had the best of everything; they were the first to have carpets, electric lights, bath tubs, and the diphone in Llano County. He loved gadgets and was always buying new inventions to see what made them work; he could never resist a new or novel item. I have heard it said by those who knew Miles Barler that he could make money sitting on a rock in the middle of a stream.

In the early days it was necessary for a man to have a good horse. Horses were the basis of a man's existence, and Miles Barler was no exception. He was known for his fine horses and prided himself in them. One horse which Miles Barler had for years became his trademark in Llano; his name was "Old Sorrel." This horse was with Barler on many of his experiences in law enforcement and was later used to pull a buggy. There were always dogs around the Barler household, and all the pet dogs were named "Mulkey." As soon as a "Mulkey" would die, another one would appear on the scene. One of the "Mulkeys" served as watchdog as well as a pet, and he was feared by all the strangers. The local butcher was calling on the Barler hired girl and was deathly afraid of the dog. Before he would come to call on the girl, he would butcher a choice piece of meat for the dog, so he could get through the gate safely.

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The Barler home was the center of activities in Llano. The family was always offering their house for church and civic gatherings. Miles Barler loved to dance; so he had a dance floor built in back of the house. This pavilion was the center of many of the social functions in Llano.

Miles Barler spent his later years in serenity compared to his earlier ones. He joined the Christian Church, after a life time of threatening to do so. In the closing years of his life, he paid particular attention to little girls of Llano. He delighted in gathering them together in his buggy and going to the country on picnics.

His obituary states that at his funeral, "A delegation of little girls of Llano were present to participate in the exercises, Mr. Barler having been devoted to the little girls of Llano, often rendering them little pleasures and attention, and they will deeply feel his loss." 3

During the later years of his life, Barler wrote the significant incidents of his life in narrative form. This book, Early Days in Llano, first appeared in the Llano Times as weekly articles. It was later reprinted in its present form upon the request of many of his friends and relatives. This book has never been for publication or for sale. He consented to have it published only for the use and benefit of his children and friends. Some of the copies of it were sent to close friends of his; they enjoyed the book, and many of them wrote to him telling him so. J. F. McLead wrote this about the book:

Your life had indeed been a cherished one, such as few men experience in this life; so full of dangers and hardships. But amidst all of your dangers and hardships, I could trace a great deal of humor and fun ... While reading your history, I can imagine I am in your prest ence again telling some of your thrilling adventures.

³ Llano Times (Llano), Thursday, December 19, 1907.

Taken from a letter to Miles Barler by J. F. McLean of Woolsey, Georgia. Dated March 12, 1907.

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Copies of this book can be obtained from any remaining member of the Barler family. This book is truly a bit of history from the pen of a pioneer citizen.

Miles Barler lived to be a man of seventy-five. He had eight children, one of which, my grandmother, Jesse Barler Monroe, is still living. When Miles Barler died, Llano and the people grieved his loss. He had lived in that city the better part of his long life and had done his part to make it a decent place in which to live and work, and "in years gone by, barded his breast to every danger in blazing a more fitting path for coming generations." On the day of his funeral the Llano schools were dismissed, and all business houses were closed in honor of his memory. His death was also felt by those outside of Llano who knew him. A resolution dated February 8, 1908, by J. D. Harrison Camp, Confederate Veterans, stated in part,

As one of the early settlers, during the troubleous days, when the savage red and lawless white man menaced the safety of lives, homes, and property, he was among the leaders of that little band of brave and honest men who, regardless of risk to their own lives and property, made the daring and gallant sacrifices which resulted in driving the marauder and criminal from this part of the state. He was constant and uncompromising for the enforcement of law and order; he believed that every one was entitled to the quiet and peaceful enjoyment of what was rightful his own; he was zealous and untiring in encouraging wise and beneficial social and moral reforms; he knew no fear but the fear of doing wrong. Best, and highest of all, he was a consistent Christian gentleman, and when the final summons came, he was ready and prepared to enter into the reward of the faithful!

I believe this expresses Miles Barler.

⁵ Llano Times, Llano, December 19, 1907.

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2 JANE BUTTERY BARLER

Jane Buttery Barler, daughter of John Buttery and Elizabeth Heslop Buttery, was born at Whitby, England, on May 21, 1838. She emigrated her family to Texas, by way of Glaveston, Austin, and to Llano County. She married Miles Barler of Llano. To this union were born seven children, namely: Villita, Lee, John A., Betty Ann, Cora, Eugene, and Jessie Jane. She was reared in the Church in which she worked very actively. She passed away on October 15, 1905, and was buried in Llano Cemetery.

3 VILLITA BARLER MATTHEWS

Villita Barler Matthews, daughter of Miles Barler and Jane Buttery Barler, was born on December 21, 1858, at Ilano, Texas. In 1822, she married William Matthews and to this union were born three daughters: Ava. Deda, and Willie May. She was an active member of the Christian Church. On November 27, 1932, death claimed her and she was buried in San Antonio, Texas.

3 WILLIAM MATTHEWS

William Matthews married Villita Barler in 1882. To this union were born three daughters. He was engaged in the lumber business and later the mining business in Mexico. He died and was buried in San Antonio, Texas.

4 AVA MATTHEWS JONES

Ava Matthews Jones, daughter of William Matthews and Villette Barler Matthews was born at Llano on December 19, 1883. She was educated in the Llano High School and is a member of the Presbyterian Church. On May 27, 1906, she married Albert Lee Jones at Llano, Texas. To this union were born two sons: Albert Lee Jones, Jr. and W. Pinchney Jones.

4 ALBERT LEE JONES

Albert Lee Jones married Ava Matthews on May 27, 1906 at Llano, Texas.

5 ALDERT LEE JONES JR.

Albert Lee Jones Jr., son of Albert Leé Jones, Sr. and Ava Matthews Jones, was born at Llano, Texas on February 28, 1907. He received a high school and college education. He is a member of the Presbyterian Church and the Masonic Lodge. He is with the Humble Oil Company in San Antonio. On December 28, 1928, he married Nan C. Cow. They have one son, Albert Lee Jones III.

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5 NAN C. COW JONES

Nan C. Cow Jones is the wife of Albert Lee Jones II and mother of Albert C. Jones III.

6 ALBERT LEE JONES III

Albert Lee Jones III, son of Albert Lee Jones, Jr. and Nan C. Cow Jones, was born at San Antonio, Texas, October 2, 1930. He received a high school and college education and served with the U. S. Navy.

6 ALBERT LEE JONES III

Albert Lee Jones III, son of Albert Lee Jones, Jr. and Nancy Cow Jones, was born at San Antonio, Texas, October 2, 1930. He was given a high school and college education. He is a member of the Presbyterian Church and served this country in the Navy.

5 WILLIAM PINCKNEY JONES

William Pinckney Jones, son of Albert Lee Jones and Ava Matthews Jones, was born at Temple, Texas, on October 16, 1908. He was educated in high school and college. He is a member of the Presbyterian Church. He is in the hardware business, The Jefferson Hardware Store. It is located on the Fredericksburg Road, San Antonio, Texas. On March 26, 1934, he married Zelpha Dublin at Jacksonville, Texas. They have one daughter, Nancy Jones.

6 ZELPHA DUBLIN JONES

Zelpha Dublin married William Pinckney Jones at Jacksonville, Texas, on March 26, 1934. They have a daughter, Nancy Jones.

6 NANCY JONES

Nancy Jones, daughter of William Pinckney Jones and Zelpha Dublin Jones, was born at Jacksonville, on January 19, 1936.

4 DEDE MATTHEWS

Dede Matthews, daughter of William and Villita Matthews, was born at Llano, Texas, on January 30, 1886. She was educated in Llano High School and is a member of the Christian Church. She died in 1959, while on a vacation in Florida. She was buried in San Antonio, Texas.

4 WILLIE MAY MATTHEWS

Willie May Matthews, daughter of William and Villita B. Matthews, was born at Llano, on August 29, 1888. She was educated in the Llano High School. She is a member of the Christian Science Church and resides in New York City.

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3 JOHN A. BARLER

John A. Barler, son of Miles and Jane Barler, was born in Llano, December 22, 1860. He was educated in the public school. He was engaged in the hardware business at the time of his death, March 22, 1890. He is buried in the Llano Cemetery.

3 LEE BARLER

Lee Barler, son of Miles and Janie Buttery Barler was born at Llano, Texas. He was educated in the Llano Public School and also went to school in Ohio. He spent most of his life as a peace officer and for years served with the Texas Rangers. He married Bernice Jackson at Llano. This couple had one daughter, Ida Gail Barler. He died in 1957 and was buried at Llano, Texas.

3 BERNICE JACKSON BARLER

Bernice Jackson Barler, wife of Lee Barler had one daughter, Ida Gail.

4 IDA GAIL BARLER

Ida Gail Barler, daughter of Lee and Bernice J. Barler, married J. D. Robertson of San Angelo, Texas. She attended Southern Methodist University.

4 J. D. ROBERTSON

J. D. Robertson is husband of Ida Gail Barler Robertson. He was a graduate of Princeton. He was a merchant and rancher. Death came in 1956.

5 MARCO ROBERTISON TEMPLETON

Gail Robertson's daughter, Margo attended San Angelo Public Schools and finished high school at Hockaday in Dallas, attended S.M.U., and was graduated from Texas University. She was a member of Kappa Kappa Gamma Society in 1957, and she married John Templeton in San Angelo, Texas.

5 JANE ROBERTSON

Jane Robertson is the younger daughter. Jane is attending Hockaday School.

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3 BETTY ANN BARLER WATKINS

Betty Ann Barler, daughter of Miles and Jane B. Barler, was born at Llano on May 10, 1866. She married Tom Watkins of Llano. She died on December 25, 1888, and was buried in the Llano Cemetery.

3 TOM WATKINS

Tom Watkins was the husband of Betty Ann Barler.

3 CORA BARLER CRAHAM

Oora Barler Graham, daughter of Miles and Jane Barler, was born at Llano, on January 4, 1869. She was educated in the public schools. She was a member of the Christian Science Church. She married Frank Graham. She died January 30, 1929, and was buried in Llano Cemetery.

3 FRANK GRAHAM

Frank Graham was the husband of Cora Barler Graham.

3 EUGENE MILES BARLER

Eugene Miles Barler, son of Miles Barler and Jane Buttery Barler, was born at Ilano, Texas, on November 28, 1876. He was educated in Llano Schools. Also, went to school in Ohio. He was an authority on pensmanship and wrote a book on the subject. He was a member of the Christian Church and the Masonic Lodge of Llano. On April 26, 1908, he married Mina Belle Vaden at Roff, Oklahoma. This couple had one son, Francis Marion Barler, born on March 7, 1909 at Llano. On February 10, 1918; he died of flu and was buried at Llano, Texas.

3 MINA BELLE VADEN

Mina Belle Vaden, wife of Eugene Miles Barler.

4 FRANCIS MARION BARLER

Francis Marion Barler, son of Eugene M. Barler and Mina Belle Vaden Barler was born at Llano, Texas, on March 7, 1908. He is a graduate of University of Texas, with B.A. and L.L.B. degrees. He is a member of the Christian Church and the Masonic Lodge. He is Chief Auditor for all subsidiaries of U. S. Steel on Pacific Coast. On October 12, 1940, he married Beatrice Frances Ripple at Cold Springs, Texas. This couple has three children, namely: Dorothy Virginia, Helen Ann, and Bette Beatrice.

4 BEATRICE FRANCES RIPPLE BARLER

Beatrice Frances Ripple Barler, wife of Francis Marion Barler.

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5 DOROTHY VIRGINIA BARLER

Dorothy Virginia Barler, daughter of Francis Marion Barler and Beatrice Frances Ripple Barler, was born at Houston, Texas, on January 26, 1943.

5 HELEN ANN BARLER

Helen Ann Barler, daughter of Francis Marion Barler and Beatrice Francis Ripple Barler was born on June 11, 1951, at San Francisco, California.

5 BETTE BEATRICE BARLER

Bette Beatrice Barler, daughter of Francis Marion Barler and Beatrice Frances Ripple Barler, was born on June 10, 1954, at San Francisco, California.

3 JESSIE JANE BARLER MONROE

Jessie Jane Barler Monroe, daughter of Miles Barler and Jane Buttery, was born on June 14, 1881, at Llano, Texas. She was educated in the Llano Public Schools and West-Texas Normal at Cherokee, Texas. She is a member of the Christian Church. On December 24, 1904, she married Daniel Thomas Monroe at Llano, Texas. She has three children, Janie Miles, Dan Barler and Malcolm Elizabeth.

3 DANIEL THOMAS MONROE

Daniel Thomas Monroe was the husband of Jessie Jane Barler Monroe. In early life he was a railroad man. He was a pioneer oil man. He first went to work for the Texas Company, in 1907. In 1918 he and his brother, Malcolm, helped organize the Humble Oil Company (Sales Department). He was with them until he retired in 1946. After a long illness he died on June 4, 1957, and was buried in Llano Cemetery.

4 JANIE MILES MONROE NICHOLSON

Janie Miles Monroe Nicholson, daughter of Daniel T. Monroe and Jessie Jane Barler was born at Conroe, Texas, on August 13, 1906. She was educated at Texas Christian University. She is a member of the Episcopal Church. On November 5, 1932, she married Morris Sheppard Nicholson at Houston, Texas. She resides in Austin, Texas. She has two children, Jane Ellen and Danya.

4 MORRIS SHEPPARD NICHOLSON

Morris Sheppard Nicholson was the husband of Janie Miles Monroe Nicholson. He was a graduate of Texas Christian University. During World War II he was in the Material Division of the U.S. on Corps, stationed at Patterson Field, T. Col. and holder of the Legion of Merit) For work done in the preparation for D Day).

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5 JANE ELLEN NICHOLSON CABLE

Jane Ellen Nicholson Cable, daughter of Janie Miles Monroe Nicholson and Morris Sheppard Nicholson, was born at San Benito, Texas, on July 2, 1936. She was educated in the Austin Public Schools and The University of Texas. She is a member of the Episcopal Church. She belongs to the Zeta Tad Alpha sorority. On March 9, 1957 she married Olin R. Cable, Jr., at Austin, Texas. This couple has a daughter, Elizabeth Jane Cable.

5 OLIN R. CABLE, JR.

Olin R. Cable, Jr. was born at Beaumont, Texas, and is the husband of Jane Ellen Nicholson Cable. He is a Lt. (J.G.), U.S. Navy Pacific Fleet, stationed at Guam. He is a graduate of The University of Texas.

6 ELIZABETH JANE CABLE

Elizabeth Jane Cable, daughter of Jane Ellen Nicholson Cable and Olin R. Cable, Jr., was born at San Diego, California, on April 12, 1958.

4 LENA ANN DITTFURTH MONROE

Lena Ann Dittfurth Monroe, wife of Dan Barler Monroe.

5 BARBARA ANN MONROE

Barbara Ann Monroe, daughter of Dan Barler Monroe and Lena Ann Dittfurth Monroe, was born at Houston, Texas, on November 18, 1941.

5 KATHLEEN MONROE

Kathleen Monroe, daughter of Dan Barler Monroe and Lena Ann Dittfurth Monroe, was born on October 11, 1945, at Houston, Texas.

5 DAN T. MONROE II

Dan T. Monroe, son of Dan Barler Monroe and Lena Ann Dittfurth Monroe, was born at Houston, Texas, on August 8, 1952.

5 DANYA MONROE NICHOLSON

Danya Monroe Nicholson, daughter of Morris Nicholson and Janie Miles Monroe Nicholson was born at Galveston, Texas, on January 9, 1938. She was educated at the University of Texas and is a member of the Episcopal Church. She is a member of Zeta Alpha Sorority.

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4 DAN BARLER MONROE

Dan Barler Monroe, son of Dan T. Monroe and Jessie Jane Barler, was born at Port Arthur on July 11, 1910. He was educated at The Rice Institute and is a member of the Christian Church. He is a Division Manager of the Texas Company. On January 21, 1936, he married Lena Ann Dittfurth at San Antonio, Texas. This couple has three children, Barbara Ann, Kathleen and Dan T. II.

4 MALCOLM ELIZABETH MONROE BARNES

Malcolm Elizabeth Monroe Barnes, daughter of Dan T. Monroe and Jessie Jane Barler Monroe, was born at Bay City, Texas, on November 1, 1913. She was educated at Houston Public School, Gulf Park College, Gulfport, Mississippi and The University of Texas. She is a member of the Methodist Church. On September 5, 1939, she married Sam Rankin Barnes, M.D., at Houston, Texas. This couple has four children, namely: George Monroe Barnes, Elizabeth Ann Barnes, Dan Monroe Barnes, and Sarah Jane Barnes.

4 SAMUEL RANKIN BARNES

Samuel Rankin Barnes, son of Dr. George Barnes, and Josephine Barnes, was born in Trinity, Texas, in 1912. He is from a long family of doctors, and is a graduate of the University of Texas and Texas Medical School at Galveston. He served in World War II as a marine doctor. He was a flight surgeon with marine flyers on Guadalcanal.

5 GEORGE MONROE BARNES

George Monroe Barnes, son of Malcolm Elizabeth Monroe Barnes and Sam Rankin Barnes, was born on August 29, 1914, at Houston, Texas.

5 ELIZABETH ANN BARNES

Elizabeth Ann Barnes, daughter of Malcolm Elizabeth Monroe Barnes and Sam Rankin Barnes, was born November 30, 1947, at Houston, Texas.

5 DAN MONROE BARNES

Dan Monroe Barnes, son of Malcolm Elizabeth Monroe Barnes and Sam Rankin Barnes, was born on October 9, 1948, at Houston, Texas.

5 SARAH JANE BARNES

Sarah Jane Barnes, daughter of Malcolm Elizabeth Monroe Barnes and Sam Rankin Barnes, was born on November 12, 1951, at Houston, Texas.

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- 2 Thomas W. Bailey
 - 3 Mary E. Bailey (no issue)
 - 3 Seth T. Bailey
 - 3 Lorena Stephens Bailey
- 4 Elizabeth B. Bailey (Decker)
- 4 Walter S. Decker
 - 5 Theodore Seth Decker (no issue)
 - 5 Walter Charles Decker
 - 5 Charley Grooms Decker
- 6 Carole K. Decker (Howard)
- 6 Roger E. Howard
 - 7 Jeff Howard
 - 7 Greg Howard
 - 7 Timothy Howard
 - 7 Rodney Howard
 - 6 Janette M. Decker

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- 6 Dan Eberhardt
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3 Charley Bailey (no issue)

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2 MARGARET BUTTERY BAILEY

Margaret Buttery Bailey, daughter of John and Elizabeth Buttery, was born at Whitby, England in 1838. She came to America with her parents. In 1856, she married Thomas W. Bailey at Llano, Texas. To this union were born three children, Mary, Seth T., and Charley. She was a member of the Christadelphian Church and went to her reward April 22, 1912. She was buried in the Llano Cemetery.

2 THOMAS W. BAILEY

THOMAS W. BAILEY, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Bailey, married Margaret Buttery in 1856. To this union were born three children: Mary, Seth T. and Charley. He was a cattle buyer by profession. His home was in Llano, he died in 1866 and was buried in the Llano Cemetery.

3 MARY E. BAILEY

Mary E. Bailey, daughter of Thomas W. and Margaret Buttery Bailey, was born at Llano, Texas, June 10, 1859. She attended school at Llano. She was an invalid most of her life; she never married. She died January 25, 1892, and was buried in the Llano Cemetery.

3 SETH T. BAILEY

Seth T. Bailey, son of Thomas W. and Margaret Buttery Bailey, was born at Llano, Texas, on September 10, 1864. He attended Llano Public Schools. On April 18, 1886, he married Lorena Stephens. To this union were born two children, Elizabeth B. and Ira J. He was a dealer in cattle. His death came October 14, 1929 and he was buried in the Llano Cemetery.

3 LORENA STEPHENS BAILEY

Lorena Stephens Bailey, was born in Indiana on April 18, 1886. She married Seth T. Bailey at Llano, Texas. To this union were born two children, Elizabeth B. and Ira J. After her husband's death she did practical nursing. She was a member of Christian Church. Death came February 26, 1937 and she is buried in the Llano Cemetery.

4 ELIZABETH B. BAILEY DECKER

Elizabeth B. Bailey Decker, daughter of Seth T. and Lorena Stephens Bailey, was born at Llano, Texas, on April 12, 1887. She was educated in the Llano Public Schools. On November 1, 1903, she married Walter S. Decker. To this union were born two children, Theodore Seth and Walter Charles. She is an active member of the First Christian Church and lives at 308 East Brown Street, Llano, Texas.

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4 WALTER S. DECKER

Walter S. Decker, son of Joe and Sarah Decker, was born at Llano, Texas, on November 16, 1898. He was educated in the Llano Public Schools. On November 1, 1903 he married Elizabeth B. Bailey at Llano, Texas. To this union were born two children, Theodore Seth and Walter Charles. He was self employed; he ran a transfer business. He was a member of the First Christian Church. He passed away on March 29, 1957, and was buried in the Llano Cemetery.

5 THEODORE SETH DECKER

Theodore Seth Decker, son of Walter S. and Elizabeth B. Decker, was born on March 17, 1907, and died on February 7, 1908. He was buried in the Llano Cemetery.

5 WALTER CHARLES DECKER

Walter Charles Decker, son of Walter S. and Elizabeth B. Decker, was born at Llano, Texas, on June 10, 1910. He was graduated from the Llano High School. On June 11, 1931, he married Charley Grooms. To this union were born two daughters: Carole K. and Janette M. He works for the Decker Distributing Company, San Antonio, Texas. He is a member of the Baptist Church and lives with his family at 106 Easthill Place, San Antonio, Texas.

5 CHARLEY GROOMS DECKER

Charley Grooms Decker, daughter of Martin and Mattie Grooms, was born at Rock Springs, Texas, on January 26, 1912. She was graduated from the Rock Springs High School. On June 11, 1931, she married Walter Charles Decker. To this union were born two daughters: Carole K. and Janette M. She is bookkeeper for the Decker Distributing Company, San Antonio, Texas. She is a member of the Baptist Church. She lives with her family at 106 Easthill Place, San Antonio, Texas.

6 CAROLE K. DECKER HOWARD

Carole K. Decker Howard, daughter of Walter Charles and Charley Decker; was born at Rock Springs, Texas, on March 30, 1934. On June 2, 1951, she married Roger E. Howard. To this union were born three sons: Jeff, Greg, and Timothy, and she has one adopted son, Rodney. She is a member of the Baptist Church and lives at 619 Marchmont Lane, San Antonio, Texas.

6 ROGER E. HOWARD

Roger E. Howard, son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard, married Carole K. Decker, June 2, 1951 at San Antonio, Texas. To this union were born three sons: Jeff, Greg and Timothy. He also has an adopted son, Rodney. Roger E. Howard is a printer. He is a member of Baptist Church and lives with his family at 619 Marchmont Lane, San Antonio, Texas.

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7 JEFF HOWARD

Jeff Howard, son of Roger E. and Carole K. Howard, was born on December 31, 1952, in San Antonio, Texas.

7 GREG HOWARD

Greg Howard, son of Roger E. and Carole K. Howard, was born on September 9, 1955, in San Antonio, Texas.

7 TIMOTHY HOWARD

Timothy Howard, son of Roger E. and Carole K. Howard, was born on September 10, 1957, at San Antonio, Texas.

7 RODNEY HOWARD

Rodney Howard, adopted son of Roger E. and Carole K. Howard, was born in 1956.

6 JANETTE M. DECKER EBERHARDT

Janette M. Decker Eberhardt, daughter of Walter Charles and Charles Decker, was born June 6, 1937, at San Antonio, Texas. She is a graduate of San Antonio High School. On November 26, 1957, she married Dan Eberhardt. She is a member of rhe Baptist Church and lives at 308 North 6th Street, Lawton, Oklahoma.

6 DAN EBERHARDT

Dan Eberhardt, son of Mr. and Mrs. Eberhardt, married Janette M. Decker on November 26, 1957. He is in the U. S. Air Corps. He is a member of the Baptist Church and lives at $308\frac{1}{2}$ North 6th Street, Lawton, Oklahoma.

L IRA BAILEY

Ira J. Bailey, son of Seth T. and Lorena Bailey, was born at Llano, Texas, December 13, 1888. On December 25, 1912, he married Annie Fraizer. To this union were born five sons and one daughter. He is a farmer and member of the Church of Christ.

3 CHARLEY BAILEY

Charley Bailey, son of Thomas W. and Margaret Buttery Bailey, was born at Llano, Texas, on February 22, 1866. He attended Llano Public Schools and for twenty-five years was foreman on a ranch in Oklahoma. He died July 19, 1933 and was buried in the Llano Cemetery.

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 - 4 Elsie Belle Moore Abbott
 - 4 Harold Mark Abbott
 - 5 Harold Mark Abbott
 - 5 Mary Abbott
 - 6 David Abbott
 - 6 Carol Jean Abbott
 - 5 Burton Wilburn Abbott (deceased)
 - 5 Georgia Abbott
 - 6 Christopher Abbott
 - 4 Mona Karen Moore Marsh
 - h Douglas Marsh (deceased)

No issue

- 4 Mary Ora Moore Smith
- 4 Cyril W. Moore
 - 5 Kust Phillip Smith
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- h Wilburn Rainsford Moore
- 4 Lydia Lawrence Moore (divorced)
 - 5 Donna Lee Moore Humphrey
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 - 6 Sherrie Lee Humphrey
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- 4 Claudia Moore (second wife of Wilburn R. Moore)
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- 4 Vida Davis Melville (deceased 1955)
- 4 John Melville
 - 5 Lynar E. Melville Johnson
- 5 Rikhard Johnson
- 6 Derk Craig Johnson
 - 6 Bradley Melville Johnson
 - 5 Dianne Melville Black
- 5 PatrickHarold Black
 - 6 John Dana Black
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October 14, 1957

Dear Cousin Annie:

You are wondering why I haven't written. We planned to go to Drain the first week in September. But when we realized that Monday of the first week would be Labor Day and the first Monday, second week California Admission Day, we changed our plans. Newspapers were screaming keep off highways and stay at home for three million autos would be on the highways. Cy came up with the answer. He would have a week's vacation beginning on September 28. He would take us in his car.

So, we got there after all. Ruby and husband, Glen Speck, came down from Portland. Myrtle, Claude, Ruby and I were all together for the first time in 40 years. Of course, we enjoyed the occasion.

Myrtle and family lived on a 40 acre place adjoining Drain. The husband died three years ago, and the children are married and away from the old place. Fortunately, a saw mill company bought 5 acres, and later a Plywood Manufacturing concern bought 17 acres. Each paid Myrtle \$ 1,000.00 per acre for the land. So finally she was in the right place at the right time.

While at Myrtle's, we did a lot of jabbering about our parents' early life. None of us know much about our father so we gave up speculation.

I seemed to put together more about our mother than Claude, Myrtle or Ruby. Of course, I am five years older than Claude and ten years older than Ruby. My sisters and brothers agreed that they never knew me very well. I seem to never have been around home very much. I was unsocial and kept to myself. They maintained I read a great deal and did not want the "kids around me." They are right for I do not recall ever playing with them. I do not remember mother ever telling me anything about Llano. She did speak of Silver City, no details that I recall. Seems that Myrtle and Ruby were never told much about Llano.

We do not know when mother was born, when she was married, or when she went to Silver City. I do not know how her age 83 was determined at time of her passing. May be Myrtle knew. I was not close at the time. When we were youngsters we remember that my father had a pen artist enlarge a picture of mother when she was 20 years old. What became of these pictures I do not know, but maybe Claude or Myrtle does, any way these pictures had no connection with Llano.

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We did not uncover much of anything, I guess. Much of what we think we know is mostly speculation and what you folks have given us. But I seem to remember, and Myrtle learned somehow that in 1890, or there about, we were in Gardiner at the hotel my father had leased when mother bought an organ and sewing machine with money that came from Texas (Llano).

Myrtle says that at the time Mother wanted to go to Llano, but father objected. Myrtle got this information in later years. I remember the organ but not the sewing machine, but not connected with money from Llano. So you can see how dim and uncertain mother's early life is to us. Father's is still dimmer. We know he had brothers and a sister in Califonia long since deceased and that father was the youngest. The family came from Indiana in about 1854. This is all we know.

The best I can do is to give a brief chronological sketch of the movement of the Moore family.

- 1. I was born at Llano in 1878. I was six years old when Mother, with Claude, Myrtle and myself left Lalno or Silver City for Portland, Oregon-1878-6-1884. Father had a small shoe store and repair shop in Portland. Mother came by train to San Francisco, and by boat to Portland; arrived at cherry time -- perhaps June.
- 2. Perhaps in August, 1884 father and family went by train to Grants Pass, by stage to Kerrville, then by pack horse to Sucker Creek near Oregon Caves to place mine. (I talked with the elderly pack horse operator. He recalled the occasion.)
- 3. In the spring of 1885, the family was located on a homestead near Linkville (Klomath Falls). Father cleared sage brush land. We lived in a Jumper log cagin (so did other settlers). It snowed that winter, I remember. There was plenty of land in Eastern Oregon at that time.
- 4. In the spring of 1885 father traded his interest in the homestead for two yoke of oxen and homecovered wagon. Over the rough mountain road we traveled by ox team west to Jacksonville. Father sold the outfit and moved family to another homestead on William's Creek, 25 miles from Grant's Pass. Here we were in a log cabin for the winter. It snowed. Mother cooked on the open fireplace. I can recall all this.
- 5. In the spring of 1886 we moved down on the Hoxie ranch, a four miles west of post office Applegate. Again we lived in a one room rough board house until the house on Hoxie ranch was vacated. We were living in the one room board place when Ruby was born Jume, 1888.

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- 6. In the fall of 1888 we moved a few miles north on the Applegate river (I should say east) to the Drew ranch. Now we had a two room, rough board house, very little furnishings. Here we got along fine. I went to school for the first time -- one room school. Now we owned an old wagon, one blind horse, and one mare. The crop corn, melons, alfalfa were good. Father sold fat hogs in the fall. But disaster came upon us. The flood in the winter of 1889 destroyed the barn, our buildings, cow, hogs, chickens and one horse. So the family moved to a house on the Roy place when the flood had gone away.
- 7. In spring of 1889 father went to Gardiner, near the coast and got work on construction of the Life Saving Station at Entrance to Umpqua River.
- 8. He moved the family to Gardiner in 1890 where he had leased the only Hotel. We were comfortably located here. I went to school. We had one or two chambermaids. Mother did the cooking. I washed the dishes. It was during this year that mother bought the organ. Here we were prospering.
- 9. In the winter of 1893 we moved to Drain where a State Normal School was located. Father leased the hotel. But the 1893 depression ruined the hotel business. Father lost what he had saved in Gardiner. Now we were out of luck again. Mother refused to move again. Education for the children was here in Drain.
- 10. Now the folks were broke again. They rented a large house and roomed and boarded Normal School Students. Mother continued this means of supporting the family for many years. There was no work for men in Drain so, in 1895, father got work on the Great Northern Construction railroad crow on the Columbis. From this time until his death he infrequently returned to Drain. He sent mother money from time to time. Among his belongings were found payments to mining prospectors oil stock, land investments, etc. None were ever worth a dollar, so he went on always hoping to get ahead. He died at Willepa, Washington, leaving an estate of § 3,000.00 in land and blacksmith shop. Father never mistreated his children. He did not drink or smoke. His children never knew him very well.

Mother was a grand person. She stood by her children and scarificed for them. She was patient, kind and cheerful. Her disappointments, heartaches, regrets and sorrow she kept to herself. We all loved mother. She never failed us. She was a Christian, devoted to her family. There was never a divorce. None of her children ever went wrong. We all live proud of our wonderful mother.

If some member of the Buttery family is keeping a record of this wonderful family perhaps this letter should be sent to him for it gives an outline of the Annie Eliza Buttery. I wrote my autobiography which is in the keeping of our daughter, Mrs. Mona Marsh, 620 Santa Clara Avenue, Alameas, California. Sorry I have scribed too much.

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FAMILY OF ANNIE ELIZA BUTTERY MOORE

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3 WERT EMIT MOORE

Wert Emit Moore, born October 24, 1878, Llano, Texas, came with parents to Portland, Oregon in 1885, lived in Drain, Oregon 1890 to 1899. Educated in public schools, graduated from Oregon State Normal School, June, 1899 taught school in Washington for 14 years; came to Oakland, California public schools in 1915, teacher Principal Supervision, etc., for 22 years, carned my B. A. and M. A. at University of California at Berkely; retired from public schools in 1936. Did my doctoral work at University of Oregon, 1936-38, moved to Grants Pass, Cregon in 1940. During years that followed, served as Manager of Chamber of Commerce, Mayor of Grants Pass, later as administrator of Josephine General Hospital. During part of World War II, served as instructor at Oregon State College, Corvallis, Oregon.

Married Clara Rainsford McEwing, Willapa, Washington in 1902 (deceased). Married Viola R. Anderson, Oakland, California on April 9, 1927. We came to live in Stockton, California, in 1954. We are members of the Methodist Episcopal Church, Honorary, Life Member Lions International Club.

3 CLARA RAINSFORD MC EWING

Clara Rainsford McEwing was born at Willapa, Washington in about 1884. Daughter of Samuel S. Ewing, farmer and merchant. She attended public schools in Willapa, Washington. Member Methodist Church (deceased).

L' ELSIE BELLE MOORE ABBOTT

Elsie Belle Moore Abbott was born Toledo, Washington, November 24, 1903. Attended public schools in several cities; married Harold Mark Abbott, Olympia, Washington. Graduate Beautician, skilled in all types of dressmaking for past several years, she has been employed in the Fabrics Department at the Federal Naval Air Base at Alameda, California. Christened in Methodist Church; married Harold Mark Abbott of Olympia, Washington (deceased); mother of two sons: Harold Mark Abbott, Burton W. Abbott.

5 HAROLD MARK ADDOTT

Harold Mark Abbott, son of Elsie Belle Moore Abbott, was born at Olympia, Washington, September, 1925. He served in the Air Force in South Pacific during World War II, graduate of Fremont High School, Oakland, California; four years training for airplane mechanic - Non Supervising Airplane mechanic at Federal Navy and Air Base at Alameda,

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California. Married Mary Blasingane from Alabama. She is a hospital technician, two children, lives in Castro Valley, California; married Harold Mark Abbott December 30, 1954.

3 MINNIE MYRTLE MOORE

Daughter of Gladius W. Moore and Annie Eliza Buttery was born at Llano, Llano County, Texas, on December 30, 1884.

Approximately 1884 Myrtle, (she has always been known by her middle name) her brothers and her mother left Llano to join her father in Portland, Oregon. Myrtle lived in various towns in Oregon, Including Sucker Cruk Tinkville, (now known as Klamath Falls), Williams Cruk, Applegate and Gardiner.

In the winter of 1893 when Myrtle was about nine years old the family moved to Drain, Douglas County, Oregon. Here on April 6, 1903, she married DeWitt Clinton Davis, who at that time was engaged in the logging business. To this marriage were born five children: Bernard Clinton, Vida Myrtle, Donald Neil, Helen Mary, and Anna Belle Davis.

Myrtle received her education in the public schools in Oregon and at the Oregon State Normal School at brain, Oregon. She is an active member of the Church of Christ.

She has resided nearly all her life at Drain, Oregon, and has many, many friends in that area. She has a small farm there on which she does nearly all her own work, although she has sold the cows since the death of her husband in January of 1955.

L BERNARD CLINTON DAVIS

Son of DeWitt Clinton Davis and Minnie Myrtle Moore was born at Greenback, Oregon on 22 December, 1904.

He spent nearly all of his youth in Drain, Oregon. He received his education in the Drain Public Schools and was also a graduate of Oregon State College in Corvallis, Oregon. He did post-graduate work at the University of Oregon at Eugene, Oregon, and was a Certified Public Accountant from University of Oregon.

On March 2, 1935 he married Blandina Carolyn Kenny at Goldendale, Washington. No children were born to this union.

Bernard spends most of his time in Bend, Oregon, where he owns his own bookkeeping business, but he also has a home in Salem, Oregon and various other business enterprises, including a ranch in Eastela, Oregon and a partnership in a radio station at Roseburg, Oregon.

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L VIDA MYRTLE DAVIS

Daughter of De Witt Clinton Davis and Minnie Myrtle Moore, was born 6 October, 1906, at Drain, Oregon.

She spent all of her youth in Drain and was educated in the Drain Public Schools. She was a graduate of the University of Oregon -- graduating in three years. She graduated with honors becoming a Phi Beta Kappa member.

Vida taught several mears before her marriage 14 April, 1932, at Drain, Oregon, to John Osborne Melville. He was a captain of a ferry on the Coos River near Coos Bay, Oregon. To this marriage were born four daughters: Elizabeth Lynne, Diana Kathleen, Joan Anno and Carole Louise Melville.

Vida was baptized a member of the Church of Christ.

She spent nearly all of her married life in Gold Beach, Curry County, Oregon. On the 17 July, 1955, she passed on of: an unknown cause and is buried at Gold Beach.

L DONALD NEIL DAVIS

Son of De Witt Clinton Davis, and Minnie Myrtle Moore, was born 6 July, 1911 at Drain, Oregon.

He spent all of his youth at Drain, Oregon, and was educated in the Drain Public schools and had a year at Oregon State College in Corvallis, Oregon.

On 14 June, 1935, he married Venus Lakey at Rosoburg, Douglas County, Oregon. One child, Mary Ann Davis, was born of this union.

Donald is a member of the Church of Christ and the Masonic Lodge.

He spent most of his life as a mill architect and superintendent and resides with his family at Drain, Oregon.

L HELEN MYRTLE DAVIS

Daughter of De Witt Clinton Davis and Minnie Myrtle Moore, was born 8 January, 1914, at Drain, Oregon.

She was educated in the Drain Public Schools and is a member of the Church of Christ.

Helen never married and was employed as a secretary as a young woman. Then she became afflicted with multiple sclerosis and has resided at a hospital in Salem, Oregon since that time.

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L ANNA BELLE DAVIS

Daughter of De Witt Clinton Davis and Minnie Myrtle Moore, was born 11 November, 1918 at Drain, Oregon.

She spent her youth at Drain, Oregon and received her education there in the Drain Public Schools. She was baptized a member of the Church of Christ as a young girl in Drain.

On the 19 September, 1936, she married Clifford Verne Phillip La Mead at Roseburg, Douglas County, Oregon. Two sons were born of this union. Galen Clifford (now attending Oregon State College) and Phillip Verne, recently married and a member of the U.S. Air Force.

Anna Belle now resides in Pasco, Washington, where her husband is employed as a Superintendent for an asbestos company.

5 ELIZABETH LYNNE MELVILLE

Daughter of John Osborne Melville and Vida Myrtle Davis was born 30 June, 1952, at Coos Bay, Coos County, Oregon.

Lynne (as she is known to her family) was educated in the Gold Beach Public Schools and received a year of college at University of Oregon.

On 13 August, 1952, at Gold Beach, Oregon, she married Dirk Bruce Johnson. Three children were born of this union: Dirk Craig, Bradley Melville, and Cherie Lynne Johnson.

Lynne attends the Community Presbyterian Church.

She and her family reside in Gold Beach, Oregon, where her husband owns his own logging business.

5 DIANA KATHLEEN MELVILLE

Daughter of John Osborne Melville and Vida Myrtle Davis, was born 3 October, 1936 at North Bend, Oregon.

She was educated in the Gold Beach Public Schools and spent all but the first two years of her youth in Gold Beach.

On the 22 January, 1954, she married at Pendleton, Umatilla, Oregon, Patric Henry Black, then a member of the U.S. Army, serving as a paratrooper. Of this marriage were born two children: John Dave and Deborah Diana Black.

Diana is an active member of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, more commonly known as Hormans.

She and her family reside at Long Beach, Los Angeles County, California, where her busband is engaged as a derrick man in the oil fields.

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5 JOAN ANNE MELVILLE

Daughter of John Osborne Melville and Vida Myrtle Davis, was born 2 April, 1939 at Gold Beach, Oregon.

She received her education in the Gold Beach Public Schools and has resided all her youth at Gold Beach.

On the 2 June, 1957 at Gold Beach, Oregon she married William Byron Scott. To this marriage has been born a daughter, Teresa Joan Scott.

Joan attends the Community Presbyterian Church and is a member of the Eagles Lodge. She resides in Gold Beach with her family where her husband is employed as a mill-worker and part owner of Scotts Lodge which he has recently sold.

5 MARY BLASSINGAME ABBOTT

Mary Blassingame Abbott was born in Alabama, came to Oakland, California as Hospital Technician. Married Harold Mark Abbott December 30, 1954. Two children: David and Carol Jean.

- 6 DAVID ABBOTT (Infant born)
- 6 CAROL JEAN ABBOTT (Infant born)

5 BURTON WILBUR ABBOTT

Burton Wilbur Abbott was born at Portland, Oregon. Attended public schools in Olympia, Washington and Oakland, California. Graduate of Fremont High School; attended University of California, Berkley. Served in World War II. (Deceased).

5 GEORGIA ABBOTT No data on her background

6 CHRISTOPHER ABBOTT

Christopher Abbott, son of Burton Wilbur Abbott, about seven years old, attends private school.

4 MONA KEREN MOORE MARSH

Mona Keren Moore Marsh, graduate of Portland, Oregon, Commercial School; married Douglas Marsh; resided in Calgary, Canada several years; served as stenographer for Colgary Light and Power Company. Later returned to Oakland, California. Served as secretary in office of two large firms. Last ten years she has been in office work at Federal Air and Navy Dase at Alameda, now Secretary to Commandant at the Alameda Base. Born in Toledo, Washington in 1904.

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L DOUGLAS MARSH

Douglas Marsh was born in England, came with his parents when he was a child. Attended public schools in Calgary. Worked in gasoline stations; interested in music; had a fine voice and hoped for radio work. (Deceased). No children.

4 ORA MARY MOORE SMITH

Ora Mary Moore Smith was born in Kalama, Washington 1906; attended public schools at Oakland, California; Graduate of Berkeley High School, Berkeley, California. Graduate of University of Oregon, Eugene, Oregon. Taught school. Did public social service work. For past several years employed by American Trust Bank, Stockton, California. She is a Vice-President in charge of Transit and Bookkeeping Departments. Member of Methodist Episcopal Church. Did graduate work at University of California, at Berkeley. Married October 14, 1933 to Cyril W. Smith.

4 CYRIL W. SMITH

Cyril W. Smith was born in San Joaquin County November 15, 1908; attended public schools. Now sergeant in Stockton Police Department; graduate of F.B.I. School at Washington, D. C.; active in Elks Lodge, Epaltes Ruber. One son, Kurt Phillip Smith, now attending Houston University. Kurt spent four years in U. S. Air Force. Kurt Smith married August 16, 1958 to Carol Ann Mattern.

4 WILBUR RAINSFORD MOORE

Wilbur Rainsford Moore was born April 25, 1909 Oakland, California; attended public schools, married Lydia Lawrence (deceased). One child Donna Lee Moore Humphrey, married Cladius Moore (deceased). One child, Stanley Moore. Wilbur attended Oakland public schools. Served four years with marines in Orient. Employed as driver for P.I.E. Transportation Company.

5 DONNA LEE MOORE HUMPHREY

Donna Lee Moore Humphrey, attended Oakland Public Schools. Three children:

- 6 Gary Laverne Humphrey
- 6 Sherrie Lee Humphrey
- 6 Terry Lyn Humphrey.

4 CLAUDE MOORE

Claude Moore was born in Silver City, New Mexico. Came with parents to Portland, Oregon 1884. Attended Drain, Oregon public schools. Lived in Drain since 1890. Married Katherine Matoon (deceased). Carpenter by trade. No children.

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